CK BY A TRAIN

White Receives Fatal Inuries on a Crossing.

A WIFE AND SEVEN CHILDREN

Occurred This Afternoon East Wood Street—Hole in His Head.

fternoon William White, aged 49 no has a wife and seven children on East Clay street, in the ard, was struck by a Peoria & Evansville train, the at Wood ssing of the Illinois Central railge got in front of the train and wn considerable distance The stopped and the body taken to on depot. Dr. W. J. Chenoweth d to attend the man. It was at his skull was fractured, and hole the brains were oozing, also aw was fractured. He was also rnally. The injuries are of a facter. Death is expected in a White was a colored laboring

THE CONCERT.

Occur at the Grand To-Morrow Night—The Participants.

rand home concert for the benefit t Louis tornado sufferers given Nelhs Lyric society, will occur at morrow night. An excellen will be executed. The personnel low

ers of the society, Miss Scruggs, and Mrs. Adeline Louise Nelcter.

ola—Opera house, Prof. R Walsident.

rior Quartet—Mr. and Mrs. F E Mr and Mrs B Gher.

Lady Quartet—Misses Beatrice d, May Kimber, Anna Brown, Salaggs.

n Male Quartet—R. W. Chilson, C n, Gregory F E. Bunn, C N.

rist—Prof Otto Soldan.

—Charles W. Knox.

mpanist—Miss Nita Clark and Edmn.

rus—Misses Howard, Harwood, lson, Hoskins, Bassey, Crea, Brown, s, Sutton, Kimber, Mrs. Harwood, Brown, Scruggs, Burrows, Bunn, Howard, Messrs. Kepler, Osborne, on, Dickenson, Clark, Dunston, ns, Brown, Lindamood, Jones, r.

oes without saying that for so wor- object the hall will be packed to ors. All of the money realized will romptly forwarded to the proper s at St. Louis.

Patrons

atur Womans' club, Mayor Conklin wife, Judge and Mrs. Vail, Rev. Pengon, Rev. Hobbs, Rev. Howe, Rev. ns, Rev. Miller, Rev. MacGregor and wives, Messrs. D. S. Shellabarger, Shellabarger, L. C. Shellabarger, J. ven. Durfee, Walston, Will Barnes, ett Brown, Hugh Crea, R. S. Bohon, ey, C. A. Ewing, Thomas, A W. lin, E P. Warren, E. D Bartholo- James Millikin, W. T. Wells, T T. rts, Randal, Kinsman, Abbott, Har- Howard, Lutz, O Powers, George Bright, D. Bradley, Outten, M. John- sr, George R. Bacon, Roach, Black- e, Armstrong, Bering, A. C. Hill, oeb, Scruggs, W. H. Ennis, E. A. man, Quinlan, J. M. Maris, W. W. tley, H. Maris, J M. Gray, George ers and their wives, Mrs. E. P War- Mrs Hayes, Mrs S. P. Young, Miss rie Powers and Mr. O. B. Gorin.

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Sunday at Riverside.

There were a large number of persons Riverside park Sunday afternoon when odman's band gave a concert. Besides music to attract the people there was natatorium and the row boats and se who were at the park passed a pleasat afternoon.

Marriage Licenses.

n. F. Colladay, Chicago.	22
da M. Hoehn, Decatur..	21
avid H. Frantz, Oakley..	25
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Births.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Fred Oyler, of 0 South Traver street, on Sunday, June a son.

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THE CONVENTION.

No Intention of Hotel Discrimination Against Negro Delegates.

APPLIED FOR ROOMS TOO LATE.

Discussing the Platform—Utah Wants a Straddle While Cy Leland of Kansas Says the Platform Will be Sound.

St. Louis, June 9.—No solution of the puzzling question as to what shall be done with the negro delegates to the national convention has yet been effected. The proprietors of the leading hotels deny that they refused to entertain the colored men but say their rooms are all engaged and they cannot accommodadte negroes as much as they might wish. M. H. De Young proprietor of the San Francisco Chronicle and member of the national committee, says it is not the duty of the committee to secure hotel accommodations for delegates either white or black. He would oppose any effort being made before the committee. Opinions vary widely touching the money plank of the national platform. P. H. Lannan, proprietor of the Salt Lake Tribune, expresses the belief that the platform will declare for neither single standard nor free silver but be of a character that free silver men can stand on it. Hon. Cy Leland, of Kansas national committeeman said: McKinley is for sound money—gold if you please—and as much silver as needed. He is as much opposed to this 16 to 1 heresy as he is to free trade. No concessions whatever will be made to the silver men from the west. Those fellows will take what we give them, and if they don't like it they can bolt. In fact, I expect to see some of them bolt. We can easily do without them, with New York and New Jersey, and we've got a cinch on those states and Connecticut, too." Members of the Business Men's League say the negro trouble arises from the fact that negroes are delaying the securing rooms. That's true, as the hotels are all filled now, neither whites nor negroes can be accommodated The league, however, will see colored men properly cared for.

Ex-Congressman Thompson, manager pro tempore of the McKinley forces, has set at rest what will be the vital plank in the platform upon which McKinley expects to stand "What will be McKinley's platform on financial question?" asked a reporter of Thompson. "It will be for the single gold standard, pure and simple," he replied, "and to be explicit," continued he, "I will add that the financial platform of McKinley always has been the antithesis of what is known as 16 to 1 silverism and so it will be through this campaign."

Quarters Offered Colored Delegates.

New York, June 9.—J. E. Milholland, of the New York McKinley league, telegraphed J J. Hill, delegate from Mississippi to the Republican national convention deploring the treatment of colored delegates at St. Louis, in the matter of hotel accommodations. Milholland added "The New York McKinley league's special train of parlor, saloon and sleeping cars will arrive at St. Louis Sunday night and will be placed at the disposal of yourself and other reputable colored delegates and friends who cannot be accommodated otherwise"

Mark Hanna's Departure.

Cleveland, Ohio, June 9.—Mr. M. A. Hanna the manager of Major McKinley's canvass for the presidency, will start for St Louis this afternoon in a special train over the Big Four road. He will be accompanied by a few friends, and the trip will be made as quietly as possible. Mr. Hanna says there will be no brass bands or streamers on his train, as he is averse to making a demonstration. Major McKinley will remain at Canton during the convention, and will receive the news over a private wire connected with Mr. Hanna's headquarters in St. Louis.

Later.

Cleveland, June 9.—Hon. Mark A. Hanna left this afternoon for St. Louis, accompanied by Senator Redfield Proctor of Vermont, Abner McKinley, Major McKinley's brother, and General Osborn, of Boston cousin of McKinley. No demonstration was made when the party left. They expect to reach St. Louis tomorrow morning. Hon. Joseph Manley passed through the city for St Louis this morning

Cullom Does Not Expect Any Votes.

Washington, June 9.—Senator Cullom, when spoken to yesterday in regard to his name being put in nomination at St. Louis said.

I do not expect my name to be put in nomination. I have had no communication with the delegates who were elected for me in Illinois, and I do not know what is the intention of those delegates from Illinois who are not instructed to vote for McKinley. My inclination has been to advise that the delegation be united in its support of McKinley. If anybody should vote for me in the convention they will do so without any formal nominating speech. I do not see that there is anything to be gained for myself or the party by my seeking to be nominated for that great office without any prospect of success.

"I am more concerned about the platform than about the nomination. I regard the nomination as practically settled. However confident the Republican party may be of success in the coming election, we are not going to attain it without a contest. I am anxious to see the party go into the campaign on a platform that will mean just what it says. The time has gone by when the people will be satisfied with phrases which may be interpreted in several ways to suit occasions or sentiments. The uncertain condition in which the nation has been for the last year or two cannot be much longer endured. The Republican platform should be plain, so that every voter may know just what the Republican party believes on the financial question."

CAPT. N. A. HEALLY FOUND GUILTY

Recommended for Mercy Sect. Carlisle Modifies Sentence of Dismissal.

Washington, June 9.—The board appointed last January to investigate charges of drunkenness and conduct unbecoming an officer and gentleman preferred against Captain N. A. Heally, of the revenue cutter Bear, found him guilty, and that he should be dismissed from the service; but in view of long and efficient service the board recommended him to the favorable consideration of Secretary Carlisle The secretary has just decided to adopt this recommendation of mercy, and has ordered that Heally be placed at the foot of the captains' list, and be suspended on waiting orders with loss of pay for four years and be publicly reprimanded by the publication of the secretary's order on board of all the revenue cutters. Heally is warned that if he gets drunk again he will be summarily dismissed.

McKinley Corn Train.

Wichita, Kan., June 9.—The McKinley decorated corn train left here at 6 o'clock last evening for St. Louis, carrying with it forty orators, one each for every county represented in the train. Battery A fired twenty guns at the departure of the train. The day was made a regular Republican love feast and was the opening of the campaign year in southern Kansas. In the afternoon J. R. Burton, of Abilene, and W. B. Sutton, of Russell county, addressed immense audiences. In the evening ex-Senator Ingalls and Judge Samuel Vandevort addressed large audiences. Overflow speeches were made by Secretary of State Edwards, Charles E. Elliott, of Wellington, and Senator Gordon, of Wichita. Four bands of music attended the meeting, and the Wellington band accompanied the corn train to St. Louis.

Why Bradley Denied Withdrawing.

Lexington, Ky., June 9.—It leaked out last night that Governor Bradley's denial of his withdrawal from the race from the presidential nomination was caused by telegrams received by the governor from Platt and other eastern Republicans, who are trying to beat McKinley. The tone of the messages was to the effect that if Bradley should stay on there was still a chance to defeat McKinley. The withdrawal was written in typewriter, corrected in Governor Bradley's handwriting, and was therefore authoritative. After he had received the telegram from New York he had the Frankfort correspondents send out a story denying that he had withdrawn, giving himself as authority for the statement.

Weather This Afternoon and Wednesday.

Chicago, Ill., June 9.—Illinois: Cloudy this afternoon and tonight; probably showers this afternoon; Wednesday fair; cooler south tonight; brisk northerly winds.

Iowa: Partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday; warmer northwest; Wednesday; northerly winds.

South Dakota: Fair tonight and Wednesday; north tonight; variable winds.

Triple Hanging in London.

London, June 9.—The three murderers, Milson, Fowler and Seaman, were hanged on one scaffold at New Gate prison this morning. The first two murdered Henry Smith of Muswell Hill. Seaman committed a murder in White Chapel. Mrs. Dyer, the baby farmer, for the murder of a number of infants, will be hanged tomorrow.

Both Republicans Elected to Congress in Oregon.

Portland, Ore., June 9.—In the First congressional district Tongue, Republican, has a plurality of seventy-four on the complete returns. In the Second district with the official returns from five counties missing Ellis, Republican, has 452 plurality. This elects both Republicans to congress.

Postmaster Nominated.

Washington, June 9.—The president today nominated A. S. Ellis to be postmaster at Sioux Falls, S. D.

LAST HOURS.

An Effort to Take Up the Contest of Aldrich vs. Underwood Resulted in

DEMOCRATS BREAKING THE QUORUM.

Majority and Minority Reports on the Bill to Admit New Mexico to Statehood—Enabling Act Faulty.

Washington, June 9.—The house on reconvening this morning met as of the legislative day of Saturday. There was a fair attendance of Republicans, but less than half a dozen Democrats were on the floor. Their absence was the result of a determination by the Republicans to consider the contested election case of Aldrich vs. Underwood.

McMillan in explanation of the action of the Democrats said they did not consider it their duty in the closing hours of the session to help furnish a quorum for the purpose of unseating another Democrat. Pending the question today on a motion to lay on the table a motion to reconsider the vote by which the house decided to consider this election case, the vote resulted 98 to 31, sixteen not voting, making a total of 145 present, thirty-four less than a quorum. A call of the house was ordered, the doors closed and sergeant-at-arms directed to bring in absentees.

The majority and minority reports on the admission of New Mexico as stated were presented to the house. The majority points out the population, resources and progress of the territory such as fit it for admission without further delay. The minority report objects, pointing out that the bill grants the privilege for the election of a member of congress, two United States senators and state officers before the adoption of the constitution, or determination of the rights of citizenship and suffrage. It further objects to the unhomegenious character of the citizenship of the territory and points out the danger of lawlessness and the lack of the restraining effect of United States jurisdiction, and declares that any step which adds to membership in the United States senate should be taken with the greatest care and deliberation.

The Tucker rule adopted at the beginning of the session was invoked for the first time. It compelled members brought in by the sergeant-at-arms to vote on the question. The motion carried by a vote of 130 to 45. The speaker counted four members present but not voting.

Daniels (Rep. N. Y.), spoke in favor of seating the contestant, Aldrich, and gave notice he would demand the previous question at the expiration of fifty minutes.

On a rising vote the house decided by a vote of 100 to 66 to unseat Underwood, Democrat, of the Ninth Alabama district.

The Senate.

The sub-committee of the senate finance committee to conduct the investigation of the government bond sales decided to begin work after the adjournment of congress The press will be admitted to the hearing.

The senate disagreed to a conference report on the District of Columbia appropriation bill asked another conference. The electric light amendment caused the chief opposition.

The unsettled condition of the appropriation bills does not indicate that congress can adourn tonight. Conferees on the Indian appropriation bill, has decided to report the same plan rejected by the house Saturday. The conference on the naval bill has not yet been laid before either house. A difference has arisn in the District of Columbia bill. The western members of both houses are trying to enlist a majority to insist on the public building item in the sundry civil bill. Members hesitate to predict an adjournment tomorrow.

Major Burns Defeats the Dervishes.

Akashes, June 9.—Major Burns, with Murdoch's cavalry, occupied Suarda Monday and captured the entire Dervish camp and a great quantity of supplies killing many Dervishes and making forty prisoners. The whole of the Nile north of Suarda, is now in the hands of the Egyptians.

St. Paul Printers' Strike.

St. Paul, June 9.—Though somewhat hampered by the typesetters' strike, the daily newspapers of this city appeared as usual this morning. The publishers are receiving many applications for positions.

Wheat Market Weakening.

Chicago, June 9.—Weakness in wheat continued today, closing at 2⅜ lower than yesterday. There was very little trading, however. The chief feature was contributing to the weakness is the expected bearish government crop report for tomorrow.

FRANK MAYO DEAD.

The Distinguished Actor Falls to Sleep in His Chair in the Presence of Several Friends.

OMAHA, Neb., June 9.—Frank Mayo, the distinguished actor, died yesterday on a train while the company was en route from Denver to this city, as was also Roland Reed's company. Mr. Mayo was to finish the season with a four nights' engagement in this city. Sunday evening he was bright and even more brilliant than usual. During the night he complained a little of dyspepsia and slept the greater part of the time in his chair. In the forenoon he was sitting with Julian Reed and Mr. Campeau chatting and napping. About nine o'clock he went to sleep. At one o'clock when the train was west of Grand Island, Neb., manager Block attempted to wake him and found him dead. His face had been visible to his two companions all these hours, and they had walked on tip-tie so as not to awake him. He died from paralysis of the heart. The remains were met at the train by members of the local Elks lodge and escorted to the Elks lodge room.

Mr. Mayo leaves a widow, who is critically ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Elverson, in Philadelphia. The children are Mrs. Elverson, Miss Derondo Mayo, Mr Edwin Mayo, all of whom are in Philadelphia now. No arrangements have yet been made for the funeral.

THE DEATH OF MISS WORRALL.

An Interview with a Sister of the Unfortunate Young Woman.

LONDON, June 9.—On receipt of a cablegram announcing the sudden death in the Palace hotel in San Francisco of Miss Mayne Worrall, of Chester Lodge, Gilston road, South Kensington, London, on Saturday, a representative of the United Press called upon Mrs. Hyde, a sister of the deceased lady, at her residence in the Hyde Park mansion. Mrs. Hyde informed the reporter that Miss Worrall was of a bright and happy disposition and entirely free, so far as she knew, from care. Only Sunday she had received a letter which her sister had written to her the day before she sailed from Sydney, N. S. W., for San Francisco, on board the steamer Alameda. In the letter Miss Worrall made a number of inquiries concerning family affairs, and intimated that she was in excellent health and high spirits. Mrs. Hyde could not conjecture any reason why she should have died from the effects of poison, as alleged, self-inflicted or otherwise.

FRANK AND KERENS,

Returning from a Pilgrimage to the Political Mecca, Indulge in Prophecy.

CHICAGO, June 9.—Richard C. Kerens and ex-Congressman Nathan Frank, of St. Louis, stopped in Chicago yesterday on their way home from their political visit to William McKinley at Canton. As a Missouri delegate to the St. Louis convention Mr. Frank said: "We will nominate McKinley on the first roll call. There will be McKinley strength not only to dictate the nomination but the manner of doing it. We will not permit a suspension of the roll call long enough to make the nomination unanimous. And then we will adopt a financial plank satisfactory to the honest money men of the country. It will be unequivocally against the free coinage of silver at any ratio. It will be for the preservation of the financial status and it will make no mention of an international conference. It goes without saying that the United States has always been in favor of such a conference. We will not straddle on that plank. As for Maj. McKinley's position, I can say the financial plank cannot be made too strong for him. He is sound."

A WILD WHEAT MARKET.

Heavy Fluctuations Ending in a Break that Nothing Could Stop.

CHICAGO, June 9.—There was one of the wildest wheat markets of the year on the board of trade yesterday. July wheat opened with a rush at 62⅛ cents to 62¼ cents, and in a brief time was crowded down to 61⅛. Bull efforts were soon redoubled, however, and an exciting boom sent the cereal to 63½ cents, or a rise of 2 cents above the lowest price previously recorded.

There was a total advance of seven cents last week. Immediately upon the news being posted of the small decrease in the visible supply for the week, compared with the same week last year the boom collapsed and prices fell to 60⅞, a break of 2⅝c in fifteen minutes trading.

John Cudhay became a towering figure in the turmoil of the pit. He was credited with taking in 1,000,000 bushels, and when the top notch of the excitement was reached he sold so heavily and in such an open manner that nothing could stop the break. Millions of bushels were unloaded by the bull clique during the panic.

Appointed to a Position Under the Legation at Constantinople.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—Henry C. Roberts, Washington correspondent of the Houston Post, has been appointed to a position under the United States legation at Constantinople, and will accompany Minister Terrell to Turkey. They will sail from New York in a few days.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

The Splendid Work Done by the House Creditable to the Republicans.

A VETO WHICH WAS NO SURPRISE.

Dingley's Report Against the Bond Bill a Strong Document—The House Tariff Bill Would End the Deficiencies.

Washington, June 8, '96.—Special letter.—Ho for St. Louis, is the cry of a majority of the Republican senators and representatives just now. Many of them are delegates to the convention and many more wish to be on hand when the next president of the United States is named, and just as soon as the gavel falls for adjournment, which will be in a very few hours—not later than Wednesday—they will pack their grips and start. The meeting of the national committee, in St. Louis this week, to make up the temporary roll of the convention, will be second in importance only to the meeting of the convention itself, and many congressmen, beside those who are members of the committee, will start from Washington in time to be there at its opening on Wednesday.

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No surprise was caused by the veto of the general deficiency appropriation bill on account of the items making an appropriation for the French spoliation claims, which have been before congress in one or another shape for nearly one hundred years, and another appropriation for a private claim. The house promptly sustained the veto and passed another deficiency bill with those and several other items left out. The objectionable items were placed in the bill by the senate and were virtually forced on the house by the insistence of the senate conferees.

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The report of Chairman Dingley, of the house ways and means committee, against the senate bill prohibiting the issue of bonds without special authority of congress, which was signed by all of the Republican members of the committee and by two Democrats, Turner of Georgia, and Cobb of Missouri, is considered to be an able and comprehensive document. The following extract from the report shows the committee to be in line with the Republican policy of preserving the credit of the country at all hazards: "One excuse which has been given for the passage of the senate bill is that the secretary of the treasury has sold bonds to syndicates instead of offering them first as popular loans. While we sympathize with this criticism, yet this affords substantial ground for amending the act of 1875, so as to require bonds issued under it to be first offered to the American people, and not ground for the absolute repeal of all authority to borrow in an exigency. Another excuse is that the secretary of the treasury has indirectly issued and sold bonds to meet the deficiency of revenues, by using the redeemed United States legal tender notes for current expenses, and thus placing them in a position for second redemption. This affords ground for such legislation as will make it practically impossible to continue this practice, but not satisfactory ground for taking from the secretary all power to borrow for the purpose of maintaining the redemption fund." The report raps the administration hard for refusing to officially recognize the deficit in the revenues, and the senate for its refusal to pass the emergency tariff bill and other relief measures passed by the house early in the session.

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Hon. C. M. Barnett, chairman of the state Republican committee of Kentucky, who has been visiting Washington, says of the outlook in that state,: "Kentucky will give a majority for the Republican ticket in November of from 25,000 to 30,000 votes. I expect to see a Republican elected in every congressional district save one—the First—and it is doubtful whether the Democrats will carry that."

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In summing up the work done at this session of congress Republicans find nothing to reproach themselves with, although they may regret that the senate did not pass several important bills which the house passed. The Republicans of the house, the only branch of congress controlled by the party, can return to their constituents with the proud boast—if it be boasting to state the literal truth—that so far as their votes are concerned they have filled every pledge made by the party platforms upon which they were elected. Needed appropriations have been made for internal improvements, although it involved the overthrow of the presidential veto to do it; harbor defenses and the continued strengthening of our navy have been provided for; the pension laws have been amended in the interest of justice to the old soldiers, and other desirable legislation such as the bill providing an educational test for immigrants, the bankruptcy bill, the labor commission bill, and the revenue bill, which would have wiped out the deficit had it become a law, have been passed by the Republicans of the house. Mr. Dingley truly said: "The house has been working steadily since the session began, and has done more work than many sessions which have lasted three months longer." If the Republicans had controlled both branches of congress the fear that there will be another issue of bonds before congress meets again would not exist, because there would have been legislation to make it unnecessary.

SPANISH BARBARITY.

Incidents of Cruelties Practised Upon Unoffending Cubans by Weyler for His Amusement.

HAVANA, June 6, via Tampa, Fla., June 8.—That the work of extermination of non-combatants continues to a greater or less degree is evidenced by the reports which are received from the country. Not a day passes without some shocking story being told of brutal assassinations committed by the troops on defenseless people, whose sole crime is being witnesses of the war raging all over the island, without taking any part in it.

Here are a few facts selected from the many that are told:

On the 2d inst., a column of Spanish troops, commanded by Col. Ochoa, operating around Jaruco, Havana province, captured a poor, miserable boy of 15 years, named Juan Rodriguez, suffering from nervous prostration and so weak that he could hardly move without assistance. This unhappy creature was dragged from his home and, without any compassion for his pitiable state, he was butchered on the roadway to Tapaste for the sole crime of being a cousin of the leader of a band, Victor Simon.

On June 1, Simon Yruri, member of one of the best families of Jaraco, was arrested on suspicion of being a rebel sympathizer by order of Gen. Melguizo. He was too well known to be taken out of town and shot in the fields, as this would create a scandal, so they made a semblance of a court-martial and with all the apparent formalities of the law, he was publicly shot in the square of the town. The deed created general indignation when it was known that Melguizo had ordered the execution on his own authority without consulting the captain general, who is the only one empowered to order such proceedings.

On June 4 Mr. Lorenzo Medina, a native of the Canary islands, 49 years of age, and a cattle dealer of some means, and John Toledo, a Cuban, 30 years of age, owner of a cart shop, both well known and esteemed in the town of Jarucoa, were arrested on unknown charges. They were locked in the city barracks, and the next morning they were taken out of town under promise of prompt release and treacherously shot behind the slaughter house.

It is known that Valencia had a fight with Col. Dondeviela, of Campo Florido fame, in which this "brave" was completely routed, losing 32 dead left on the field. This has never been reported officially.

The Rayamao guirrilla, about a hundred men, commanded by Gabino Guerra, has joined the rebels, seduced thereto by Calixto Garcia when he passed near that place last week.

In Sancti Spiritus, a band of musicians of the local volunteers, headed by its bandmaster, Mr. Justo Alvarez, with all the instruments of the band, also went over to the woods to enliven the time for the revolutionists.

THE WALLING MURDER TRIAL.

The Defendant Himself the Only Important Witness Examined.

CINCINNATI, June 9.—The only witness of importance examined yesterday in the taial of Alonzo Walling for the murder of Pearl Bryan was the defendant himself. He admitted meeting Pearl Bryan on the Wednesday preceding the murder at the request of Jackson and told her that Jackson could not meet her until four o'clock. He denied having seen Pearl Bryan afterward, but once on Thursday night at the post office. He did not speak to her. He slept Friday night, the night of the murder, in Jackson's room.

The witness said that Jackson told him one day in January that he had a girl in trouble in Green Castle. He said he would bring her to Cincinnati and poison her, or else he would cut up her body and dispose of it in manholes.

Asked if Jackson had ever requested him to perform a criminal operation, he said he told Jackson he would help him in every way he could, but did not get a room or do anything in the case.

Witness was made to try on Jackson's bloody pants which struck him above the shoe tops. He denied having met the girl in Wallingford's saloon, but saw Jackson with a girl, who he thought was Pearl Bryan, in the saloon on the night of the murder.

At 5:45 court adjourned.

Ed Salmon, of Fairbury, had his left ankle broken and right foot mangled in attempting to board a moving freight train at Forrest.

Fred Heinz, residing near Sibley, is said to be six feet eight inches tall and well built.

Eighty-seven horses were sold at the horse fair at Odell Friday. Good animals brought $60 to $100.

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For States Attorney. Isaac R. Mills
For Circuit Clerk.. . . David L. Foster
For Coroner .. . . . Jesse E. Bendure
For Surveyor .. .. George V. Loring

Congressman Connolly did not forget to vote against the river and harbor bill.

It may be regarded as a piece of grim humor on Mateo's part that he used women troops to break Weyler's impregnable trocha.

The demand for tickets of admission to the national Republican convention is said to exceed the supply by several hundred thousand.

The Wilson bill has increased the importation of shoddy 400 per cent in a single year. It was one of the Democratic campaign claims that protection stimulated the use of shoddy in the manufacture of clothing

Decatur people should arrange to be on the streets to see the Chicago Marching club next Monday. The club will leave Chicago on the Wabash by special train about 8 o'clock and will reach Decatur about 12 to 1 o'clock.

All the talk about Platt working up a scheme to defeat McKinley at St. Louis will end in wind. Platt willl do the best he can to get into the band wagon in as good shape as he can considering his political interests in his own state.

The Democratic party in Oregon, that great party that cut so much figure in 1876 in the Tilden cipher dispatches, has been practically wiped out, as the returns of the recent election show, in the interest of the Populist party. The same will be true of it in a national sense before the present campaign ends.

Creased pantaloons became the style when the Democrats came into power and all "hand-me-downs" always have creases it is suspected the fashion was adopted by those dudes who voted against a protective tariff in 1892 and as a result were forced to buy cheap ready made pantaloons. A good many of these young men lost their jobs.

We had a greenback party in this country as long as the greenback was below par but as soon as resumption was effected and the greenback was worth one dollar the greenbacker stopped talking greenbacks. A majority of these who favor free silver do so because they want a debased or cheap currency and if they believed free coinage would bring silver to par with gold would have nothing to say in its favor.

Peoria Democrats Want Office.

Mayor Allen and the city council of Peoria have locked horns over the effort of the Democratic aldermen to amend the ordinances as to secure a portion of the offices—that is the minor ones—for the friends of these aldermen. Mayor Allen is a strong Republican, and for several years the Peoria city council was controlled by that party. Nearly all the city officials and employes are Republicans. Last April a landslide struck Peoria, with the result that a council of ten Democrats to four Republicans was elected.

Immediately the Democrats caucused and discussed the qeustion of so amending the city ordinances as to remove the appointive power from the commissioners of public works and the city engineer and throw them into the council. Three of the Democrats kicked over the traces, but at the last council meeting the ordinances were sprung. An effort to suspend the rules and pass them was defeated, the three Democrats in question voting with the Republicans when it came to appealing from the decision of the chair. Since then every effort has been made to get the kickers into line, so far without result. Another meeting will be held a week hence, when the fun will be renewed, and the Democratic aldermen who want the offices declare it will be a long time before they get them, if they ever do.

When the ordinances are reported favorably at the next meeting two Repuublican aldermen will object to their consideration, and under the rules of the council the ordinances will go over for another two weeks. Then if the ordinances are passed the mayor will veto them, causing another delay of two weeks. Then will come the final struggle. The Deomcrats will need their entire force to pass the ordinances over his veto, and now they are endeavoring to get the three bolters to follow their leadership.

The Best Expression on Money.

There is a demand on all hands that the Republican national convention give an unequivocal expression in favor of sound money. When reduced to its simplest form the demand is that the convention shall declare in favor of the present standard—gold—and opposition to the free coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1. This sounds all right and will be satisfactory to all those who favor sound money. But as a platform declaration it is neither as strong nor as logical as a simple declaration in favor of a currency every dollar of which shall be as good in purchasing power as every other dollar. This covers the whole question and cannot be misconstrued, and yet, if the St. Louis convention were to accept such a plank it would be declared an attempt to dodge the issue. This is due to the chaotic state of the public mind as to what is involved in the money question. The object of the leading free silverites is to debase the currency. This is the wish of every Populist. If he did not believe that free silver would enable the creditor class to pay off its indebtedness in 50-cent dollars he would not favor free silver one hour Sound money men knowing this to be true, are demanding that the Republicans shall unequivocally declare against the free coinage of silver at 16 to 1. If the Republicans make such a declaration they will be satisfied, and it is fair to say that if the convention so declares it will be done honestly, for the Republican party has a record of eighteen years against the free coinage of silver.

As a bare platform declaration let us test such a declaration beside a declaration purely in favor of dollars of equal purchasing power. To declare in favor of the latter is equivalent to declaring against the free coinage of silver at any ratio that would give us silver dollars of less intrinsic value than a gold dollar, and that is precisely what the Republican party is committed to and cannot fairly be misconstrued. But in case the convention declares, what is called unequivocally, against the free coinage of silver 16 to 1, while it will be just as honest, such a declaration will be open to cavil. The Republican party and those who are demanding such a declaration as to free coinage at 16 to 1 are just as much opposed to any other ratio which does not make the intrinsic value of the silver dollar equal to that of the gold dollar and yet a declaration of opposition to free coinage at 16 to 1 would leave the party open to the charge that it might favor free coinage at some other dangerous ratio. No declaration can be as strong as the simple one in favor of dollars of equal purchasing power.

BANDIT AS A GUARD.

Effort Being Made to Secure Frank James as an Express Messenger.

Frank James as a guard on express trains carrying large amounts of money or valuables is one of the novelties the express people are now arranging. Negotiations have been in progress now for several weeks, but the possibilities are that they will be closed up within a few days. The effect of James' name, in view of his former prowess in robbing trains himself, is what the express companies are aiming after. They do not know, they say, that he could stop a determined robber any more than one of their own messengers, but they think the ordinary train robber would hesitate to tackle him.

James is willing to accept the position, says the St. Louis Globe Democrat, and guarantee that no train in his charge will be robbed except over his dead body, with but one single provision, and that is that the express people put up a bond of $20,000, this amount to go to his widow in case of his death. The express people are inclined to yield to this, though there is some opposition. James has been firm in standing out for it, and will not go on the road unless the bond is fixed up to his satisfaction. Since he became a respectable, law-abiding citizen he has taken very good care of his family, and he does not propose to commence doing anything else now. When the negotiations were first begun he was asked if he could shoot with both hands.

"Well," he replied, "I used to be that I could, and I guess I have not forgotten how yet."

James has been working steadily for some time, but has never been able to make an exorbitant salary, and for that reason would be willing to take the risk of this venture. As one of his friends says: "It is not as much risk as he has taken on hundreds of occasions before when out on his raids. The only difference would be that in this he would have the law on his side."

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Petition to Sell Real Estate.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the matter of the estate of Elizabeth Hirst, deceased, wherein H. D. Hell, administrator, heretofore filed a petition to sell real estate to pay debts.

Affidavit that John Hirst, Randolph Hirst and Andrew Hirst are not nor is either of them residents of the state of Illinois, having been filed in the office of the clerk of the county court in said county and state in the matter in said petition

Public notice is hereby given to John Hirst or his heirs or devisees, Randolph Hirst or his heirs or devisees, Andrew Hirst or his heirs or devisees, that H. D. Hell, administrator of the state of Elizabeth Hirst, deceased, heretofore filed a petition in said court in the matter of said estate for the sale of real estate to pay debts, and that John Hirst, Randolph Hirst, Andrew Hirst, Frances Logan-Porter, James B. Porter Euphenia Dell Woody and Agnes Hirst are defendants to said petition.

That said petition will be presented to the county court or said county and state at the July term thereof, to be held at the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county and state, beginning on Monday, the sixth day of July, A. D., 1896; that said petition prays for the sale of certain premises situated in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, and described as follows, to wit: Lot eight (8) of H. H. Brown's Sub-Division of a part of lot sixteen (16) of southwest quarter section 15, township 16 north, range 2 east of the 3d p m.

Now, therefore, unless you the said John Hirst or his heirs or devisees, Randolph Hirst or his heirs or devisees, Andrew Hirst or his heirs or devisees, shall be and appear before the said court on the first day of said term, and plead, answer or demur to the said petition the same and the matters and things therein stated will be taken as confessed and a decree entered accordingly.

Dated this 10th day of April, 1896
May 22-d40t J. M. DODD, Clerk.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Ellen Roberts and against William H. Radliff, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lots Twenty four (24) and Twenty-five (25), Crowder & Roberts' addition to the City of Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois, taken as property of the said William H. Radliff, which I shall offer at public sale at the north door of the court house, in Decatur, in Macon county in said state, on the 27th day of June, A. D., 1896, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand to satisfy said execution.

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25 doz. Ladies' Black Silk Mitts at 10c a pair.
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25 " Windsor Sateen Ties at 2c apiece.
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50 " Misses' and Boys' Ribbed Hose, sizes 5½ to 8½, at 8c.
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5 " Black Silk, 26-inch Parasols at 68c.

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10 doz. Men's working Plaid Jackets, sold at 50c; for this sale 18c.
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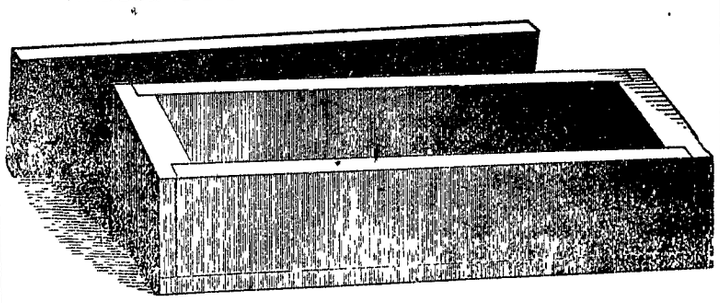

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The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of Calvin F. Hoff, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the August term, on the first Monday in August next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

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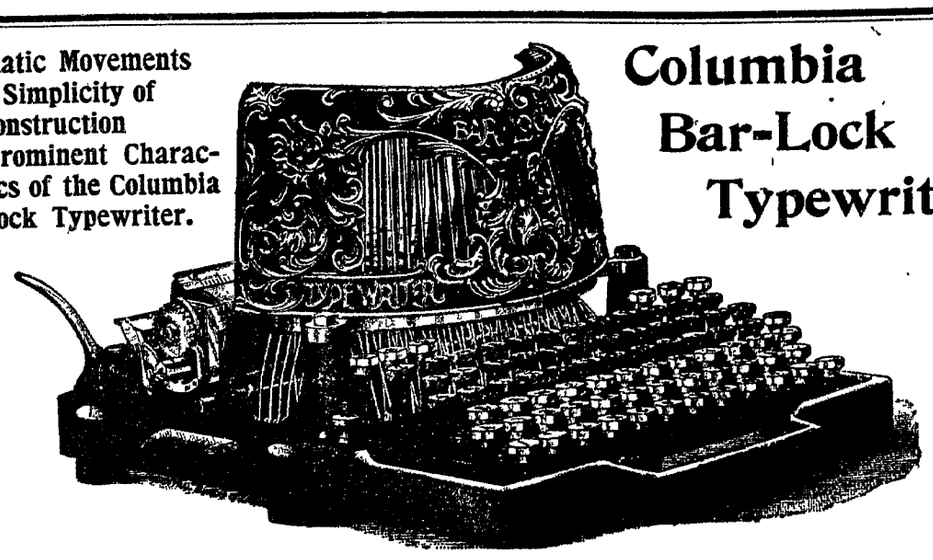

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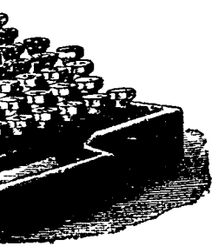

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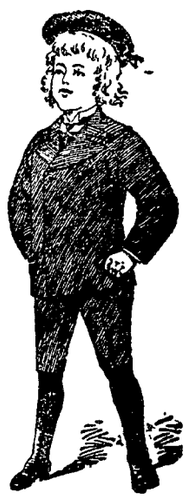

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THE CITY COUNCIL.

Appropriations are Made for the Ensuing Year—Amount, $131,000

DISCUSSION ABOUT APPOINTMENTS.

The Mayor Says They Will Hold Over and Alderman Irwin Objected—Other Business Which was Transacted at the Meeting on Last Evening.

At the regular meeting of the city council held last evening there was considerable business of importance transacted and several points were brought up which created discussion among the aldermen. The appropriation ordinance was placed upon its passage after much discussion and the salary ordinance came up on its second reading and was also passed.

The communication of the mayor in regard to the appointments was read by the clerk toward the latter part of the meeting In it his honor said that as there seemed to be no dissatisfaction with the present persons holding city offices they would hold over until the end of his term and would be removed only for cause. Alderman Irwin spoke on the matter. He said that it was not fair for the new aldermen not to have the opportunity of voting on these persons. The members of the council were the representatives of the people and were held responsible for the officers and they should have an opportunity to confirm or reject them. In answer to this the mayor said that his thought was that of civil service If anyone had anything against any of the incumbents let charges be brought against them and if Alderman Irwin would sign charges against anyone the mayor would be willing to at once dismiss the person. Mr. Irwin said that he had no charges to be brought against anyone and did not doubt that everyone of those who already held offices would be again confirmed if reappointed but the principal was what he didn't like. Allowing the officers to hold over was taking from the council a power which was belonged to them. He demanded the opinion of the city attorney in regard to the question. Mr Lee said that it was a question which he did not care to decide but Mr. Irwin said he must decide it and that he was paid for the purpose of giving advice and must furnish it when it was wanted

Attorney Lee in rely said that as to the validity of the bonds of the officers who hold over they must be again approved or they would not hold good. But in regard to the question of the legality of the officers being allowed to hold over he refused to give an opinion on the grounds that he was not prepared. He said he was willing to give his advice at the next meeting of the council and Mr. Irwin moved that the attorney be instructed to give a written opinion at the next meeting. The mayor said that this was unnecessary as the attorney could be called upon at any time. The other business in detail was as follows:

Petitions.

A number of citizens asked that a light be placed at the corner of Wood and Water streets. Referred to the water and light committee.

J. H. Allsbury asked to have his liquor license transferred to A. W. Bower. The petition was granted.

Jacob Mittenberg asked permission to change his saloon from 529 to 535 North Morgan and have license transferred. Granted

Joseph Marjola asked permission to sell fruit at the corner of Water and North streets in front of the Thatcher house. Granted

Reports.

The water and light committee recommended that the old smoke stack at the water works be repaired. Adopted.

The same committee recommended that the water meter of the Illinois Central be repaired Adopted.

The public improvement committee recommended that North Water street be curbed from William street to Herkimer street by special tax and that the city attorney be instructed to prepare an ordinance. Adopted.

The sidewalk and crossing committee to whom was referred the petition of John Oren in regard to alleged excessive sidewalk and grading taxes, recommended that the work be paid for as assessed. Adopted.

The committee to whom was referred the matter of a testing machine for water meters recommended that the machine be purchased. Adopted.

The finance committee reported on the matter of George W. Martin who wanted the city to buy back the tools he used as inspector of weights and measures. They recommended that the bill be not allowed. The report was adopted after some discussion.

The finance committee reported that they approve the liquor bonds of John McDonald and G. M. Markwell. The reports were adopted and the license issued.

The Oakland Avenue Sewer.

The ordinance for the Oakland avenue sewer was read and placed on its passage on motion of Alderman Simpson.

The Appropriations.

The finance committee returned the appropriation ordinance naming the following figures as the appropriations for the different departments of the city for the coming year: Public improvement, $11,000; water works, $26,600; fire department, $22,157; police department, $16,000; salaries, city officers, $11,000; light and gas, $4,500; street and alleys, $1,500; cleaning streets and alleys, $2,000; repairing paved streets, $4,000; interest on bonds, $5,500; time warrant fund, $5,000; sinking fund, $6,248; sidewalks and crossings, $3,000; cleaning sidewalks and crossings, $1,000; public library, $4,800; contingennt, $1,000; public parks, $3,500; health department, $1,000; law department $500; rent, $1,300. Total, $131,000.

Alderman Carter said that at the meeting of the committee he had voted against the cutting down of the water works and light appropriations. Everybody wanted water and light and plenty of money should be allowed for these items. He made a motion that there be appropriated for public improvement $8,500; for water works, $28,000, and for light and gas, $5,000. Alderman Simpson thought that the public improvement appropriation should not be cut down. Not more than thirty lights could be needed in the city this year and there was no necessity of raising the fund for that purpose at the expense of public improvement. After more discussion the motion of Mr. Carter to amend the ordinance was lost. On motion of Mr. Montgomery the report of the committee was adopted by a vote of 19 to 4, Aldermen Ahrens, Carter, Hankins and Hill voting no. The ordinance was placed on its passage and adopted by a unanimous vote.

The Salary Ordinance.

The ordinance for the salaries of the city officers which was laid over from the last meeting was read again. Alderman Simpson asked about the salary of the sexton of the burying ground. Alderman Hankins said that it was simply an oversight that it was not given and made a motion that the salary of that officer be made the same as last year.

Alderman Thayer moved that the ordinance be placed on its passage. Alderman Gogerty moved that the salaries of the firemen be made the same as the police. Alderman Montogmery said that the appropriations had been made and money could not now be taken from one department and added to another. Mr. Gogerty thought it would only take a moment to reconsider the vote on the appropriation ordinance. Mr. Simpson wanted to leave the ordinances as they were. Mr. Gogerty insisted and a vote was taken on his motion to reconsider the vote on appropriations, which was lost 8 to 11, Gogerty, Johnson and Ahrens voting aye. The ordinance was then placed on its passage and adopted.

The Bonds.

The bonds of the different city officers were introduced and the names of the bondsmen read. The bonds were approved.

Resolutions.

That the mayor appoint three members of the council who with himself shall constitute a committee to examine into the report on the practicability of purchasing a tract of ground 100 feet frontage on Wood street adjoining the county buildings and running through to Washington street Adopted.

That the city engineer make an estimate of the cost to bring Eldorado street from Wabash viaduct west to Fairview park to grade. Adopted.

That the city engineer be instructed to give the grade in the alley running east and west between the John R. Miller and Pasfield buildings. Referred to street and alley committee with power to act.

That a six-inch water main be laid on North Monroe from King to Packard thence west on Packard to VanDyke street. Referred to water and light committee.

That the sewer inspector be instructed to put in a trap into the branch sewer at the corner of Hilton and Prairie streets Referred to public improvement committee.

That the city attorney be instructed to see by whose authority the Postal Telegraph Co got permission to cut and destroy trees on the boulevards on the north and east side of Eldorado street near Fairview park. Adopted.

That a six-inch water main be laid on West King street from Monroe street to VanDyke street. Referred.

That a six-inch water main be laid on North Union street from Leafland avenue to Pugh street. Referred to water and light committee.

That the city clerk get prices on the Brush and Wood lamps and report at next meeting. Adopted.

That the street superintendent be instructed to remove dirt from east side of crossings at the intersection of Green and North Main street and at the intersection of Marietta and North Main to allow the surplus water to get away. Referred to the street and alley committee with power to act.

Aldermen Hill and Carter introduced resolutions that lights be placed at the following street intersections: West Marietta and North Union, Leafland avenue and North Monroe street; West Packard and North Pine streets. Referred to the water and light committee.

That the doctor bill and funeral expenses of Thomas O'Connor be paid by the city, said O'Connor being killed by the caving-in of a ditch while in the employ of the city. Referred to the finance committee.

That North Morgan street be paved from the south line of Cerro Gordo north to Wabash railroad, city to pay for street intersections. Referred to public improvement committee.

That no person be employed on any of the public works of the city at any one time for a longer period than a week without first being laid off for a week, excepting the regular appointees and their assistants. Alderman Hankins, the author of the above resolution, said that there were many men in the city who needed employment and in this way the work of the city would be divided among more persons. Alderman Thayer was in favor of making the pay lower and employing more men and in that way let the money reach more families. Mathias said that if there was to be any cutting of pay let it be off the salaries of the city officers and Mr. Montgomery thought that the matter had better not be considered too hurriedly. The resolution was finally laid on the table for one week.

Appointments.

The mayor reappointed Dr. William A. Barnes, W. J. Quinlan and Mrs. B. O. McReynolds as members of the library board and the appointments were confirmed by the council.

The mayor also appointed H. F. Cussick and C. E. Clements as the two new members of the police force. There was some discussion about confirming these appointments and the matter was laid over for a week, after which the council adjourned.

The Formation of Tornadoes.

Cincinnati Times-Star: S. S. Bassler, in talking of the St. Louis tornado, said that the weather bureau predicted dangerous storms, and that was as far as it could go. "Nobody can know," said he, "when a tornado is going to develop or where. For several days we have been in the midst of a great cyclone that extended from Ohio to Kansas. If you could stand at the lower end of a funnel-shaped tornado cloud you could look up through it as through a tube, as it has a core through which the blue sky above might be seen, but whatever gets under this core or vacuum is sucked into the whirl and dashed to pieces.

"The friction of rushing air rouses the electricity so that it is a huge magnet and draws with magnetic force as well as with that of suction. At East St. Louis several years ago a tornado took hold of a plow that stood in a field and drew it across the field in a straight line, turning over as neat a furrow as any farmer could have done. That illustrated its electrical force. The same tornado picked up a locomotive and set it across a ditch ten feet wide, absolutely uninjured There was suction combined with electric force. Walls of wrenched buildings will be found fallen outward. That is because of the vacuum created outside the house, making the air it contains burst it open or explode in the attempt to fill the vacuum.

"The present cyclone is broken. The frightful tornado was the last act. That sapped all its vitality, and you will hear of no more tornadoes till another cyclone is formed, and there is none in sight now. We shall have fair weather for some time now.

"The same tornado may devastate places far apart, for it strikes the earth and runs a few miles and may bound hundreds of miles before it again strikes the earth."

Advance Agent Arrested.

Frank E. Fifer, an advance agent for a circus, was arrested yesterday afternoon at the Union station, where he had called for his baggage. The arrest is due to the receipt of a telegram from the chief of police of Decatur, Ill., who says that a warrant has been issued against the fugitive. The charge which has been preferred against Fifer is not known, and the prisoner refused to be interviewed.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Fifer was wanted in Decatur for failure to pay a big board bill and for other obligations. He spent a week or ten days in Decatur representing the Cooper & Co. 10-cent show which failed to fill its engagement. Fifer left suddenly for St. Louis and he was arrested. Decatur creditors found that they would be out more money if they obtained a requisition and bring him back and so they wired St. Louis to let Fifer go. He made contracts in the name of Cooper & Co., and they are the responsible parties. At last accounts Cooper & Co. were in financial straits at Centralia.

Attention, Sir Knights!

Co. 36, U. R. K. of P: You are hereby ordered to appear at your armory this evening at 8 o'clock in fatigue uniform. All members are requested to be present as business of importance will come up. By order of A. T. Grist, S. K. Com.

A Call.

Rev. Jesse P. McKnight, of Harristown, has received a call to become the pastor of the Central Christian church at Peoria, where some years ago Rev. N. S. Haynes was pastor. It is expected that the call will be accepted promptly.

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SOCIETY MEETINGS.

G. A. R.—Regular meeting of Dunham Post No. 141, this, Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. All comrades are requested to be present. I. N. MARTIN, Com. NORMAN PRINGLE, Adjt.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Bob Hays went to Chicago today.

Dr. Ira N. Barnes is in Chicacg.

G. A. Ahrens went to Ivesdale today on business.

Kyle Bohon has returned from a visit to Kentucky.

Samuel Trotter, of Peoria, is in the city visiting friends.

Miss Myrtle Wheeler is visiting friends in Springfield.

Hon. D. P. Keller, of Moweaqua, was in the city today.

W. F. Neisler, who has been ill for several days past, is able to be out.

C. B. Grist, the barber, is again on duty after a spell of illness.

John W. Walker, of Walker Station, was a visitor in the city today.

Elder C. Galeener has returned from the Methodist general conference.

Mrs. W. R. Abbott left today for Lafayette, Ind., where she will visit friends.

Mrs. C. S. Bainum and mother, Mrs. Root, returned yesterday from a visit to Chicago.

Miss Annie Rainey has returned from Taylorville where she visited Miss Little Ricks.

Mrs. Jennie Summers, of Weldon, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dr. A. M. Drew.

Hon. W. G. Cochran, of Sullivan, commander of the Illinois Department G. A. R., is in the city.

Mrs. Eliza Irwin is at Denver, Col., visiting her daughters, Miss Clara Irwin and Mrs. Harrington.

Miss Margaret Roberts, who has been visiting in Minneapolis, Minn., is expected home this week.

Luther Roby, who recently graduated from the law department of the Northwestern university at Chicago, has arrived in the city.

E. L. Frary, traveling passenger agent for the Lake Michigan and Lake Superior Transportation company, was in the city today from Chicago.

Miss Addie Ebert has gone to Springfield where she will take part in several musical entertainments which will be held there this week.

Miss Leah Fribley, of Assumption, visited her brother, Dr. J. F Fribley, yesterday. She was on her way to Cerro Gordo to attend the Decatur district Epworth League convention in session there, 9th and 10th of June

Notice to Republicans.

We, the executve committee of the Decatur Republican McKinley club, hereby notify the members of the club and all other Republicans that we are informed by Mr. Abbott that the hall had previously been engaged by other parties and will be occupied on Tuesday evening. Therefore the meeting of the club cannot be held in the hall on that evening as agreed upon at the last Thursday evening meeting, and we have taken the liberty to change the time of meeting to Thursday evening, June 11, and have arranged to occupy the hall that evening. Respectfully,

W. F. Calhoun,
J. M. Clokey,
R. P. Lytle,
Committee.

Just Alive.

William White, the colored man who was struck by a train last evening, is just alive, and that's all. The attending surgeon states that there is no possible show for the man to recover. His death is only a matter of a few hours. White came to Decatur with his family about four months ago. He was a comparative stranger in the community.

John McDonald will open his new saloon in Central block this week. He is putting in new furniture and fixtures, and intends to make the resort one of the most attractive places in the city.

Births.

Born—to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dearduff, of 413 East Orchard street, on June 9, a son.

THE COUNTY BOARD.

Regular June Meeting of the Supervisors—Bills Presented and Referred to Committees.

The regular June session of the Macon county board of supervisors began at the court house this afternoon with Supervisor Ross Hockaday, the chairman, grasping the gavel of authority, and Deputy Clerk Frank Dodd occupying the place of the scribe. About all of the members of the board were present to attend to their duties in looking after the affairs of the county.

A number of communications were presented, among which was one as to action which had been taken by the committee in reference to granting the Postal Telegraph company the right to erect telegraph poles through the county in the direction of St. Louis. The company was desirous of getting the wires in shape for use before the holding of the national Republican convention. The report of the committtee was adopted on the motion of Supervisor Stoy.

A number of petitions were presented for the building of bridges. They were referred to the committee on bridges on motion of Supervisor Bean.

A large number of claims against the county were read by the clerk and referred to the proper committees when the board adjourned until tomorrow morning. The committees will be hard at work until the session tomorrow.

AN OLD SETTLER GONE.

Death of George Peck at the Age of 85 Years.

George Peck, aged nearly 85 years, died at his home in Cerro Gordo Monday afternoon. He was one of the oldest settlers in Piatt county and for many years kept a tavern at a point about four miles north of the present site of Cerro Gordo. That was in the days of stage coaches and he was then the postmaster of that place. He is survived by his wife and six children. Mrs. Levi Towl and George Peck of Decatur, are two of the children. Mrs. S. E. Huff, Mrs. J. M. Huff, Miles Peck and Miss Maude Peck of Decatur, are grand children of the deceased For many years he had been a consistent member of the Methodist church and was highly respected by all who knew him.

Alumni Officers.

The members of the nominating committee which is composed of Dr. James L. Bevans, Mrs. J. M. Clokey and Ernest Lytle, have named the officers for the Alumni society to be voted upon on the night of the banquet. Members will have the privilege of introducing other candidates but the following is the official ballot as prepared by the committee:

President—Frank Roby.

First Vice President—Milton Johnson, Jr.

Second Vice President—Mrs. Fannie J. Sedgwick.

Third Vice President—Arthur Dumont.

Secretary and Treasurer—Miss Marie Jenison.

Base Ball News.

Manager Stookey has ordered new uniforms for his players.

Next Sunday Springfield will be here for a go against the Decatur club, and a battle royal may be expected.

Captain Moore says the club is after two new twirlers, one from Galesburg and one from Arkansaw. Possibly both may be secured.

Manager Stookey has had all his men sign contracts and is going at things in a business like way.

Captain Walter Moore has about recovered from the accident he received in a recent game and says he will soon be in the game again.

The Riverside Fruit Farm.

Supervisor George W. Stoy is the proprietor of the Riverside fruit farm, a well cultivated tract, comprising five broad acres. The farm is rich in all that pertains to fruits which can be successfully produced in this latitude. And Mr. Stoy has proven himself as fine a fruit raiser as he is a clever and capable county official. The raspberries grown on the farm are large and luscious. The Republican knows whereof it speaks, because we have sampled the berries, a generous donation of which was left at the office today with the compliments of Mr. Stoy.

Epworth League Convention.

The members of the Epworth League are holding a convention at Cerro Gordo. It opened yesterday and will continue until tomorrow night. Today Rev. R. G. Hobbs went to Cerro Gordo and tonight he will deliver a lecture before the convention. His subject will be "The Epworth League as an Intellectual Force." Dell Kinney, of this city, J. W. Waltz, of Latham, and Rev. Jeffres, pastor of the Forsythe church left here this morning to be in attendance.

Concert To-Night.

The St. Louis benefit concert will occur tonight at the Grand. A fine rehearsal of all the principals was had last night and everything is in readiness for a splendid entertainment. If you cannot attend in person buy a ticket anyhow, and help swell the benefit fund.

A Coming Wedding.

The invitations are out announcing the approaching wedding of Mr. Enos, of Mississippi, and Miss Lail Owens, of this city. The marriage will occur next Thursday evening at 9 o'clock at the bride's home on West North street.

Attend the benefit concert tonight at the Grand. The proceeds are for the St. Louis tornado sufferers.

A MORNING WEDDING.

Marriage of Miss Ada Hoehn of This City and William F. Colladay, of Chicago Occurred To-Day.

A pretty home wedding occurred this morning at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Hoehn, No. 312 West Macon street. It was the marriage of their daughter, Miss Ada M. Hoehn and William F. Colladay, of Chicago. The wedding was attended only by the relatives and most intimate friends. The officiating clergyman was Rev. W. H. Penhallegon, pastor of the First Presbyterian church. At 9 o'clock while the Lohengrin wedding march was rendered by Miss Ada Lower the bridal party entered the front parlor of the residence and stood in front of a bank of plants and ferns while the solemn ceremony was pronounced by the minister. After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served under the direction of Mrs. Garrett. The tables were prettily decorated in pink and green, carnations and ferns being used with taste. The same colors predominated in the decorations about the house.

The young bride received many handsome wedding presents among which was an elegant diamond breast pin from the groom. Mr. and Mrs. Colladay left on the noon train for Chicago where they will make their home. The groom holds an excellent position with the Chicago Newspaper Union. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Colladay, of this city.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Hoehn and is well known in Decatur. She is a graduate of the High school of the class of '94 and has many friends among the young people of the city. She has always been prominent in musical circles as she is an accomplished pianist.

PAID OUT.

J. D. Trainer Settles Up and Secures His Liberty.

J. D. Trainer, the stranger who got into the clutches of the law because of crooked work to get money and board secured his liberty today. A brother in Chicago sent down enough money to square up all claims and costs. Mr. Perry has had $15 restored to him, and the St. Nick landlord is $14 better off than when Trainer first went behind the bars. A Decatur friend has acted for the unfortunate man who has seen better days and has lately been roughing it about the country.

List of Patents.

Granted to Illinois inventors this week. Reported by C. A. Snow & Co., solicitors of American and foreign patents, opposite United States patent office, Washington, D. C.:

A. J. Bates, Joliet, wire fence; W. I. Bunker, LaGrange, floor rocking chair; A. Davison, Belvidere, metallic fence post; D Fergessen, Rockford, elevating truck; E. C. Garden, Jacksonville, rug; E. Gray, Highland Park, fare register and indicator; J. G. Hodgson, Maywood, machine for cleaning and polishing tin plate; N. Newman, Springfield, velocipede; A. C. Phillips, Austin, knife holding attachment for grinding machines; T. Smith, Georgetown, butt-adjuster for grain binders; G. A. Swevens, Ringwood, corn husking attachment for feed cutters; W. S. Weston, Etherly, hanger for electric lamps; W. A. Whitney, Byron, check hook.

The 10 Cent Show.

Andress & Showers' imperial dog and pony show consisting of 100 animal actors, performing dogs, horses, ponies, the wonderful performing monkey "Bridget," Prof. Andress' troupe of tropical birds and the Showers and Jennier families of riders, leapers, tumblers, trapeze artists, wire walkers and "Sarah," the Mexican dare devil, will arrive tomorrow morning over the Illinois Central railroad and pitch their tent on the corner of College and Eldorado streets. Parade at 2:30. Grand balloon ascension by Prof. Jacobs at 7 p. m. Admission 10 cents to all. Matinee Thursday and Friday at 2 p. m. Night performance at 8.

This afternoon Commander Cochran, of the Illinois Department, Grand Army of the Republic, paid his first official visit to the Woman's Relief Corps of this city. The visitation was an event of unusual interest, and was highly appreciated by the ladies, a large number of whom were present.

A Lawn Social.

A lawn social will be given this evening at the home of James Miller, No. 975 North Water street, under the auspices of Bay Leaf Camp Royal Neighbors of America. Refreshments will be served and the public is cordially invited to attend.

On Sunday June 14, the I., D. & W. will run an excursion to Bloomingdale Glens and Montezuma. Fare for the round trip, $1.50. Train will leave Decatur at 7:30 a. m.

The county board is in session at the court house. Business will receive attention until the last of the week.

The Sieneers-Meyer wedding will occur tomorrow evening on Broadway.

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NATIONAL LEAGUE

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At Washington—Washingtons, 12; Chicagos, 1

At Brooklyn—Pittsburghs, 9; Brooklyns, 0

At New York—Cincinnatis, 6; New Yorks, 3.

WESTERN ASSOCIATION.

At Dubuque—Dubuques 6; Des Moines, 6

At Cedar Rapids—St. Josephs, 4; Cedar Rapids, 3

At Peoria—Peorias, 7; Quincys, 5.

At Rockford—Rockfords, 9; Burlingtons, 5.

WESTERN LEAGUE

At Milwaukee—Milwakees 0; Detroits, 0 Game called at the end of the fifth inning on account of rain.

At Indianapolis—Indianapolis, 8; St. Pauls 8

At Grand Rapids—Grand Rapids, 13; Kansas Citys, 3.

No Aliens Employed in the State Department.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—In response to a resolution, the secretary of state informed the senate yesterday that there were no aliens employed in the state department.

Came Into Port Without Her Consorts.

ASHLAND, Wis., June 9.—The Colgate Hoyt whaleback came into port at Ashland yesterday without her whaleback consorts. The captain says he was forced to leave them outside of Chequamegon.

A BRAVE KILLER

Broke Down in the Presence of Death and Had to be Carried to the Gallows.

HELENA, Mont., June 9.—Bill Gay, a noted outlaw was hanged here yesterday for the murder of James Mack, a deputy sheriff on the Mussell Shell in May, 1893. He broke down at the last moment and had to be carried to the scaffold. He had confessed religion and died protesting his innocence. Gay had killed several men in his time.

Detached to Attend Military Encampments.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—Capt. Levi P. Hunt, of the tenth cavalry, has been detached by the acting secretary of war to attend the encampments of the National guard of Missouri, July 20 to 27.

First Lieut. William P. Burnham has been detailed to attend the encampments of the fourth regiment of infantry, Missouri national guard, August 9 to 16, and of the second regiment of infantry and light Battery A at Lamar, Mo., from the 16th to 22d of August.

The residence of A. W. Rogers, near Wing, was burlgarized by two boy tramps Sunday morning while the family were at church.

The Champaign Business college will hereafter occupy the Champaign opera house, having leased it for a term of years.

The authorities at Forrest are after a number of hoodlums who make it their business to destroy street lamps.

Underwear Talk.

In our Underwear Window we are showing Two Lines of Men's Summer Underwear which we know to be of Exceptional value for the money.

LINE 1---Is a Mottled Balbriggan, light in weight, comfortable and cool, and is being sold for 25c a garment, or 50c a suit.

LINE 2---Is a natural color, silky fibred Combed Egyptian Balbriggan, bought direct from the manufacturer, and is exceedingly soft and cool. Shirts are made with French Yoke; Drawers are taped in the seat, have French Waistband, adjustable in the back to different sizes of waist. You *may* buy as good goods elsewhere; you cannot buy better at 50c a garment, $1.00 a suit.

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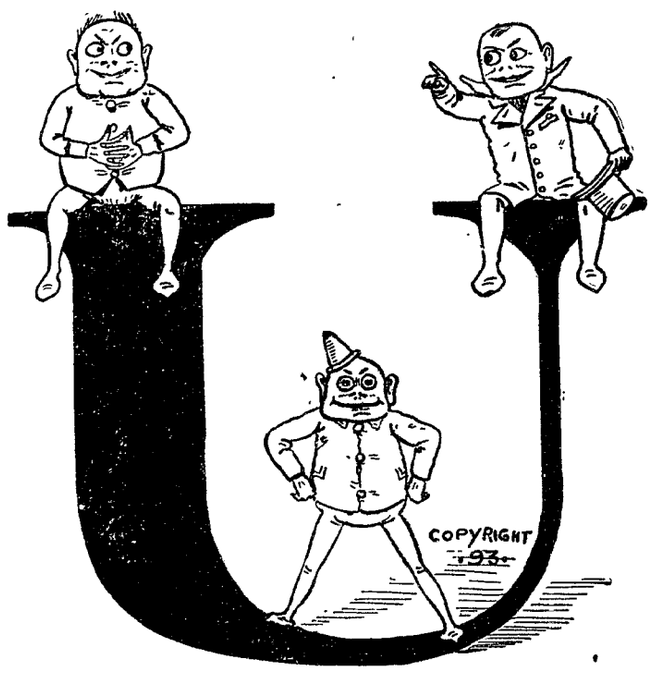

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Summer Headwear,
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Summer Wear in Seasonable Suits.

Mohair, Flannel and Serge Coats and Vests at prices from $2.50, $3.50, $4.00 $5.00 and up to the Finest Silks made.

STRAW HATS for everybody at prices to suit every pocket. Nothing shown but the latest styles.

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Our Own Make of NEGLIGEE SHIRTS at 35c; 50c, 75c and $1.00 are better for the money and better made than found elsewhere. Our Work Shirts made in our factory is a guarantee of the best shirts for the money.

If you want a Stylish Suit made to order, goods right and prices right, we are the house to give you satisfaction. MR. J. C. SCHALLER, the only Stylish Cutter in the city. CALL AND SEE.

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We Can Give You
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Than those who sell on Credit.
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Try Us and Be Convinced.

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wasn't playing such an important part in life as the tailor whose reputation depends upon taking your measure perfectly and fitting your clothing perfectly to that measure. This is what Ehrmans do in such an exact manner that your clothing fits like a new skin, with only variations to make it accord with the very latest style. To keep in the swim you must keep in with Ehrmans. One of their suits is a passport into swell society.

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DECATUR, ILL.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—Comptroller Eckels left Washington for Illinois yesterday to be gone a week.

—Capt. John G. Bourke, third cavalry, U. S. A., died at the Polyclinic hospital in Philadelphia, yesterday.

—Several sleeping cars will start for St. Louis on Friday with the "machine" republicans of New York city.

—The American Sugar Refining Co. has declared the regular quarterly dividend of three per cent. on its common stock.

—The street railway strikers of Milwaukee held a meeting yesterday and unanimously decided to stand together and continue the strike.

—Walter T. Hatch, head of the well-known Wall-street firm of W. T. Hatch & Sons, bankers and brokers, died yesterday morning at his residence in Brooklyn.

—Joseph H. Manley, chairman of the republican state committee of Maine, left Boston at 10:10 a. m. yesterday for St. Louis, where he will take active part in the republican convention.

—Rev. Wm. Adams, D. D., pastor of the West Green-street Presbyterian church of Philadelphia, died Sunday, after a long illness. He was 60 years of age, and was the author of a number of prose and poetical works.

—The senate committee on appropriations yesterday ordered the new deficiency bill reported to the senate just as it came from the house, and instructed Mr. Hale, in charge of the bill, to move to lay on the table every amendment that might be offered to it.

—A medal of honor has been awarded Edward E. Dodds, late sergeant of company C, twenty-first New York cavalry, for most distinguished gallantry in action at Ashby's, Va., July 19, 1864. Mr. Dodds is the United States consular agent at Petersborough, Can.

—The police of Worcester, Mass., located a counterfeiting den on the Maj. Brown farm in Oxford, Sunday, and two Syrians, J. Gabel and S. George, were arrested. The house contained an elaborate outfit for making counterfeit dimes, quarters and half dollars.

—Four men and three women returning to South Pittsburgh, Pa., from a fishing camp at West Run, on the Monongahela river, where they had spent the day in drinking, were run down by the packet steamer James G. Blain, and one man and one woman were drowned.

—Mrs. Henry T. Thurber, the wife of the president's private secretary, left Washington yesterday with her children to take up their summer residence at Marion, Mass., near Gray Gables. Mr. Thurber will remain in Washington until the president goes to Buzzard's Bay.

—Hon. Hannis Taylor, the United States minister to Spain, who had been in London on leave of absence for the purpose of seeing his family off for New York, suddenly returned to Madrid on Saturday, his leave having been curtailed by orders from Washington.

—The occupants of two carriages, Madam Branzeau, a wealthy French lady, and Madame Paragamian and her daughter, the wife and child of a rich Armenian residing in Constantinople, were captured by brigands at Yalove, 20 miles from Constantinople, carried off and held for $10,000 ransom.

—M. Jules Francois Simon, the celebrated statesman, life member of the French senate, member of the French academy, perpetual secretary of the Academy of Moral and Political Sciences, and formerly prime minister of France, died in Paris yesterday, after a fortnight's illness with neurisis of the stomach.

—The state senatorial committee which began an investigation into the municipal affairs of Philadelphia some months ago, but which has not been in session since January, met at the Hotel Walton and decided to reconvene on June 25. It has not yet been determined upon what lines the committee will proceed.

—Secretary Morton is a believer in the intellectual superiority of women. He says he has a practical demonstration in his own family, for his sister, Miss Morton, is in every respect superior to himself, and could do everything he does better than he can do it—which probably would not be a difficult feat, even for a woman.

A COMPROMISE

On the Indian Appropriation Bill that Will be Accepted.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—The house conferees yesterday offered a compromise to the senate conferees on the Indian bill, which will be accepted and this bill, together with the naval bill will be got out of the way early this morning.

The house will agree to the former conference report cutting off appropriations for secretarian Indian schools at the end of the next fiscal year with a proviso that the secretary of the interior be instructed to divide the appropriations as evenly as possible, during the next fiscal year, between the various denominations.

This will end the sectarian school question and remove the one great stumbling-block that has for several days stood in the way of a final settlement of the question.

SIGNED BY THE PRESIDENT

But Must Secure the Consent of the Senate Also.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—The president yesterday signed an order granting permission to the Chickasaw tribe of Indians in the Indian territory to draw upon the Unithd States treasury for $100,000 out of their fund of $1,300,000 to pay the current and national expenses of that tribe.

The consent of the senate has also to be obtained, and the matter, in the form of a resolution, was yesterday sent to that body.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO, Ill., June 9, 1896.

The REPUBLICAN is indebted to B. Z. Taylor, dealer in grain, provisions and stocks, with correspondents in Chicago, New York, Minneapolis and St. Louis for the following market quotations:

	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Wheat—				
June	—	—	—	58
July	60⅛	60⅛	58¼	58¼
September	61¼	61¼	59	59
Corn—				
June	—	—	—	—
July	28	28	27⅝	27⅞
September	29¼	29¼	28⅞	28⅞
Oats—				
June	—	—	—	17⅞
July	18	18	17¾	17¾
September	18¼	18⅜	18⅛	18⅛
Pork—				
June	—	—	—	—
July	7.05	7.10	7.02½	7.05
Lard—				
June	—	—	—	—
July	4.20	4.22½	4.17½	4.17½
Ribs—				
July	3 82½	3.82½	3.77½	3.77½

July wheat: puts, 57⅛c; calls, 59⅝c; curb, 58¼.

TO-DAY'S RECEIPTS—CAR LOTS.

Wheat—34. Estimated, 32; Year ago, 50.

Corn—553. Estimated, 600; a year ago, 182.

Oats—484; Estimated, 500; a year ago, 238.

ESTIMATES FOR TO-MORROW.

Wheat, 15; Corn, 215; oats, 160.

Wheat opened lower and easy this morning, sunk below the opening, advanced again to the starting point and then went off two cents from the opening, roaming around near the bottom. The trade was good but not enormously large, and the market was active. The crowd is holding off a little on account of the Government report to-morrow.

Hog receipts 20,000; estimated 19,000. Market steady. Light, $3.30@$3.60; mixed, $3.15@$3.45; heavy, $3.25@$3 40; rough, $2.95@$3.15.

Estimated for to-morrow, 38,000.

Cattle receipts 2,000; market steady.

LONDON, 1 p. m.—Off coast: wheat, easy; corn, quiet. On passage: Wheat, weak; corn, quiet but steady. English country markets firm. French country markets firm.

LIVERPOOL, 1 p. m.—Wheat, spot, quiet; futures, firm. Corn, spot, quiet; futures quiet.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

NEW YORK, June 9.—Stocks opened quiet and irregular, railway shares showing improving tendency; industrials sagging.

General list easier, with fractional recessions up to 11 o'clock.

NEW YORK MARKET.

NEW YORK, June 9—Wheat, July, 64⅝. Corn, July, 34⅛. Oats, July, 22¾.

NEW YORK, June 9.—Butter, steady, 8@15⅝. Eggs, quiet, 11¼@12.¼

ST. LOUIS MARKET.

ST. LOUIS, June 9.—Wheat, cash, No. 2, red, 56c; July, 55¾c. Corn, cash, 25⅛; July, 25⅞; Oats, cash, 17⅝; July, 17¾.

PEORIA QUOTATIONS.

PEORIA, June 9.—Corn, steady, No. 2 27c. Oats, easier, No. 2, white, 18½@18¾. Rye nominal.

DECATUR STOCK MARKET.

The following are the ruling prices paid by local dealers for stock:

Cows and Heifers	2.50@3.00
Steers	3.50@4.50
Hogs	3.75@3.80
Calves	3.50@4.00
Sheep	3.00
Export Cattle	4.00@4.50

POULTRY MARKET.

Corrected daily by Max Atlas & Co:

Hens	6c per lb	Geese ff	5c per lb
Springs	6c per lb	Ducks	7c per lb
Stags	4c per lb	Eggs	10c per lb
Roosters	3c per lb	Hides	4c per lb
Turkey hens	10c per lb	——	2 to 4c per lb
Tom turkeys	6c per lb	Tallow	3½c per lb
Gobblers	9c per lb	Beeswax	20c per lb

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

New Books Ready for Distribution, Wednesday, June 10th.

Appleton ..American Catalogue, 1884-'90. (Ref.)
" ....Annual Encyclopedia, 1895, (Ref.)
Barr.....A Woman Intervenes
Bechtel.....Temperance Selections
Behrens..Guide for Microscopical Investigation.
Bewker & Fletcher,...
.....Annual Literary Index—1885. (Ref.)
Brown .....Pleasurable Poultry Keeping.
" .....Poultry Fattening
Champlin,.....Cyclopedia of Music
.....and Musicians. (Ref., 3 vol.)
Champlin.....Cyclopedia of
..... Painters and Paintings. Ref., 4 vols.)
Crocker.....Cause of Hard Times
Dana.....Minerals
Day.....Headaches
Depew (ed.).... .....One Hundred Years
.....of American Commerce. (Ref., 2 vols.)
Donaldson ....Growth of the Brain
Doudney..... .....Godiva Durleigh
Edersheim.....First Jewish Nation
Fischer.....Goethe's Faust
Gibson.....Beautiful Houses
Gibson.....Great Public School. (Ref.)
Griffis..... Mikado's Empire
Hole..... .....Garden and Gardener
McKinnon .....Union of England and Scotland
Magruder..... Child-Sketches from Geo. Eliot
Marshall.....Master of the Musicians
Mills.....Heat
Norton.....Heart of Oak Books, 4 vols.
Pittenger..... ....Debater's Treasury
" .....Toasts
Rideing.. .....Captured Cunarder
Ritter.....History of Music
Rogers.....Mary Dyer of Rhode Island
Rowlands.....Faithful Traitor
Ruskin..... .....On Painting
Scott.....Lucca Della Robia
Seawell..... ..... Quarterdeck and Foc'sle
Shoemaker.....Humorous Dialogues, Etc
" .....Young Folks Dialogues
Skinner.....Arbor Day Manual
Smith..... .....Arabella Araminta Stories
Spon. Enclycopaedia of Indus. Arts. (Ref., 5 v.)
" .....Treasury of Humor
Upton.....Adventures of Two Dutch Dolls
Venable.....History of Chemistry
Winslow .....
Readings from Old Eng. Dramatists. 2 vols.
Zangvill.....Premier and the Painter

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Richard A. Newell, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed executor of the estate of Richard A. Newell, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the August term, on the first Monday in August next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 3d day of June, 1896.

WILLIAM B. NEWELL, Executor.

June 4—d3w

EXECUTRIX' NOTICE.

Estate of Raleigh F. Albert, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed executrix of the estate of Raleigh T. Albert, deceased, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the July term, on the first Monday in July next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 23d day of May, 1896.

BARBARA ALBERT, Executrix.

May 23-d3w

LOST—A black silk parasol, with bent wooden handle, in the business part of the city. Finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving same at J. B. Bullard's place of business. June 9-d6

BARGAIN COLUMN.

Advertisements of Forty words or less may be inserted in this column at the rate of 25 cents per week, payable invariably in advance

For Sale. For Rent, Wanted, Etc.

WANTED.

WANTED—A girl to do general housework in small family. Good wages paid. Apply at 849 West North street. May 25-dtf

WANTED—Paper Hanging. With 25 years' experience I am prepared to give prompt attention to all orders for Painting and Paper-Hanging from all parts of the city. Prices reasonable and all work guaranteed. New Telephone No. 306. D. M. SMITH. Apr 15-dtf

WANTED—Stoves to store for the summer; low charges. Clean, safe brick warehouse for general storage. Telephone 55. V. H. Parke & Son, 521 North Main. april 8-d2m

WANTED—A good cook, at once—woman preferred. Call at J. M. Huff's Restaurant on South Water street. May 14-dtf

WANTED—To buy three or four good building lots; also small dwelling house. Address N, J. McGLASSON, 726 East Eldorado street. June 9-d6*

WANTED—The people to know that they can buy first-class second-hand furniture and stoves of us at half-price. We have a splendid line of second-hand lounges and parlor suits newly upholstered and refinished, just as good as new, bedroom suits, chairs, etc., at very low prices. Chicago Second Hand Store, 259 East Main street, first door west of Grindol's marble shop. All kinds of furniture repairing done at short notice. april-dtf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Farms of 10 to 400 acres in Central and Southern Illinois; 80 to 800 acres in Iowa, Nebraska and Kansas, city property and stocks of goods. Money to Loan. S. A. D. GRAY, Attorney at Law, 211 North Water street. May 26-dtf

DRUG AND BOOK STORE FOR SALE—The Eichinger stock of Drugs and Books, including a four year lease.
S. S. JACK, Assignee.
mar28-dtf J. W. EICHINGER.

FOR SALE—Four-room house on West Marietta street, just finished; well and cistern and necessary outbuildings. Small payment down and balance monthly. See C. M. Barnett at Griswold's hardware store. April 14-dtf

FOR SALE—Eight hundred dollars buys three nice east front building lots, 40x182 each, up North Church street. One-half cash, balance easy. You can make 50 per cent on these lots by holding until spring. Come and let me show them. Peter H. Brueck, real estate broker, 215 North Main. nov15-dtf

FOR SALE—Nice lot, 40x182 on North Union street, fronts east. $375 buys it; owner wants money. This lot will be worth $500 in the spring. Have horse and buggy at office to show you the property. Peter H. Brueck, Real Estate Broker, 215 North Main street. Nov 15-dtf

FOR SALE—80x182 fine building lot, east front on North Church street; can be bought for $800 if sold this month, on account of closing partnership business. This is a snap; look it up. Peter H. Brueck, Real Estate Broker, 215 North Main street. Nov 15-dtf

FOR SALE—Good residence property on south side of Wood street, first block east of court house block. Seven rooms on 1st & 2d floors, basement, kitchen, dining room and cellar under entire house. First class Palace King furnace goes with house. Fifty-foot lot, with driveway extra. City water and cistern in house. On paved street and street cars pass door. W. P. Shade. dec20 dtf

For Sale—Horses on Easy Payments.

We have some good work horses which we can sell on the installment plan, or on long time. Also two good milch cows very cheap. Apply at Dimock's Sale stable at west end of Eldorado street. April 29-dtf

FOR SALE—$50 cash and 25 monthly payments of $10 each, no interest, will buy a handsome building lot, east front, on North Church street. What more can you ask? Peter H. Brueck, real estate broker, 215 North Main street. nov15-dtf

FOR SALE—Ten well improved Illinois farms, worth from $1,000 to $12,000 each. Indiana farm, 40 acres, $800; Indiana farm, 60 acres, $1,000. 7,000 acres in Cross, Woodruff and Jackson counties, Ark.; well timbered, productive soil, near town and railroad; price, $5.00 per acre. Address J. F. HYATT, Coal City, Ind. June 5-d1m*

MONEY TO LOAN.

LOANS Of All Kinds Made by PEGRAM & CO., Room One, over Citizen's Nat. Bank.

MONEY TO LOAN—Farm loans and City loans. Lowest rates and most favorable terms. C. E. GIVEN, 605, Millikin Bank Building. may 7-d&wtf.

TO LOAN.—$400 and $500 private funds, to loan on real estate. KUNY, JOHNS & STROHM, 124 N. Water st. April 7-dtf

LOANS OF ALL KINDS.
FISK BROS., Over Farmers' Bank.
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MONEY TO LOAN—On real estate, farm machinery, live stock, household goods or good personal security Houses rented, rents and accounts collected. J. W. Redman, 149 S. Water St. Office hours, 8 a. m. to 7:30 p. m. First stairway north of Brunswick hotel. feb13-dtf

LOANS—I have money to place on farms and city property not over 40 per cent of value at 6 per cent, on 5 years time, with privilege of payments after the second year. Also loca money for nearly all classes of loans. Call or address Samuel McBride, 215 North Main street. dec17 d6mo

MONEY TO LOAN.—I have small sums to loan on good personal security without delay. Loan money on farms at 6 per cent interest and get them through in a very few days. If you want to BUY, SELL or TRADE any real estate call and see me; I can help you. GEO. W. EHRHART, Room 10, Opera Block. [11-d1mo

MISCELLANEOUS.

CAKE BAKING.

Fine cakes for weddings and parties made on short notice. Mail or telephone orders will receive prompt attention. Old Phone 707, No. 747 North Main street. May 26-d1m*

$10 CASH buys a brand new cushion tire combination bicycle (Waverley) if taken this week. Call at J. W. Aikin's cobbling shop, 752 North Water street. 2-d6

R. O. ROSEN, Architect and Builder. Office Rooms 1 and 2, third floor, Review Building, North Main street.

SEE DILTS—If you are wanting a two, three or four inch tubular well, or your old wells made deeper. Well work of all kinds and sizes, from two inches to three feet. 723 N. Water or 1712 E. Prairie street. nov29 dtf

SEWING MACHINES of all kinds repaired and instructions given at the newly erected repair shop on Pine street, between West Main and Prairie streets. Over 25 years of experience. Drop postal to 750 West Main or call. New Phone 131. Oct 31, 1895-d1yr

JAMES MOORE, the house-cleaner, is again in business for himself, and would be glad to have his friends give him a call. Leave orders at Plumer's grocery store. June 3-d6

LADY AGENT wanted for Decatur and vicinity; $7 per week and expenses. Excellent opportunity for right party. Address, A. M.B., this office. may 27-d2w*

RHEUMATISM CURED.—For the past nine years I have suffered intensely with rheumatism and neuralgia. The last attack was very severe. After suffering for some time I was induced by a friend to take Cerrodanle Capsules without cessation. To my surprise they cured me in a short time. I recommend them to all who suffer with rheumatism or neuralgia. R. O. ROSEN, Architect, Decatur, Ill. May 21-d1m

SALESMEN—Merchant's Trade. $30 a week New, quick, good. Light samples free. Side line or exclusive. Mfrs., 394 Market st., Phila. May 29-dtf

THE "Dollar Special" cabinet photo is still being made. $1.00 per dozen. Proofs shown. Accuacy and permanence guaranteed. Dark days no hindrance in getting good negatives East End Gallery, 1079 E. Eldorado St. Dec. 30 d&wtf

IF you want your carpets nicely cleaned remember the Hayes Decatur Carpet Cleaning Machine does the work better and cheaper than it can be done by any other method. Will call for and deliver free. Remember the Works are at 630 Wabash avenue. Both Telephones No. 667. L. C. Hayes, proprietor and manager. April 6-dft

OUR $12 and $15 suits are well worth much more. In style, quality and fit they can't be excelled. Call and see samples. E. M. White, 235 North Water street. oct28-dtf

N. BOMMERSBACH, wholesale and retail grower of all kinds of Bedding Plants, Roses, Carnations, and every variety of flowers and plants. Cut Flowers a specialty. This is the proper season to set out all kinds of flowers and plants. April 30 dtf

THE Blue Grass Carriage shop. Your vehicle insured and stored at my risk free of cost, if repairs or repainting is necessary for spring use. Oceans of good dry room, and I want one to two hundred vehicles on these terms. Corner of East Main and Franklin streets. June-dtf

PUMPS,
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GEO. M. WOOD;
June-d&wtf 136 South Water st.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—On the corner of Church and Eldorado streets, a Library book and a school history. The finder will please return same to Republican office. dtf

LOST—A pair of reading glasses in case, with chain and pin. Finder will return to 460 North Water street and receive reward. 3-d5*

FOUND—Near the West store June 3, a pair of nose glasses, gold rimmed, which the owner can recover by calling on Mrs. A. Warren, No. 228 West Main street. 3-d6

LOST—Watch-chain, with keystone attached. Finder will be rewarded by leaving it at the Republican office. June 8-d6*

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—A five-room house, No. 414 East Leafland avenue, one block from Water street. Good well and cistern. Key at grocery on corner. Call on ALEX. McINTOSH, Room 4, court house. June 3-d6*

HOTEL FOR RENT—30 rooms—on East Main street. With or without furniture. Good chance for right party. Apply to JOHN A. BROWN, 252 Wood st. May 26-d2w

FOR RENT—An elegantly fitted up Lodge room, with banquet, dressing, reception and toilet rooms, in Gallagher Block. Rooms now open for inspection. Apply to CAMPBELL & THAYER for particulars. March 23-dtf

EXECUTRIX' NOTICE.

Estate of James F. Kazar, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed executrix of the estate of James F. Kazar, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the July term on the first Monday in July next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 23d day of May, 1896.

METRILLA J. KAZAR, Executrix.

May 23-d3w

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

Estate of William A. Williams, doing business as William A. Williams, Debtor.

The undersigned hereby gives notice that William A. Williams, of the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, did, on the 29th day of April, A. D. 1896, transfer to the undersigned as assignee all his property, real and personal, for the benefit of his creditors, according to the provisions of the act concerning assignments.

All persons having claims against the said William A. Williams are hereby notified to present such claims under oath or affirmation to me at the City of Decatur, in said county, within three months from this date.

I. W. EHRMAN, Assignee.

May 2, 1896 d6w

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.

HOMESEEKERS' EXCURSIONS

at the low rate of
ONE FARE for the Round Trip PLUS $2.00

SOUTH Homeseekers' Excursions to all stations south of Cairo on the line of the Illinois Central and the Yazoo & Mississippi Valley Railroads, except Memphis and New Orleans, from stations in Iowa, Alden to Sioux City inclusive, on June 8th and 22d, July 6th and 20th; from stations Iowa Falls to Cairo inclusive, on June 9th and 23d, July 7th and 21st.

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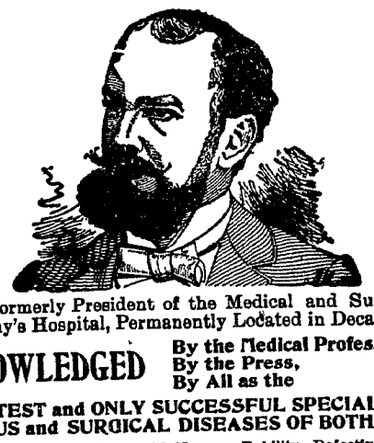

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Sunday Trains.

The Peoria, Decatur & Evansville Railway, always catering to the wants of the traveling public, commencing on Sunday, May 3d, will every Sunday during the summer, run through Day Trains both ways between Peoria and Evansville. South-bound: This train will pass Decatur at 11:30 a. m; north bound, at 3:30 p. m.

As special excursion rates are made between all stations every Sunday, these trains give the people along the line of its road an opportunity to visit their friends, or to spend the day in the woods at some of the popular resorts maintained by this road. This service is in addition to the regular Sunday morning and evening trains in and out of Peoria and in and out of Evansville. May 5-d to June 30.

Illinois Central Excursions.

On June 9 and 23 to all points south of Cairo, I. C. R. R., except New Orleans and Memphis, and other lines southeast and southwest; and to points in Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Indian Territory, Iowa Kansas and Louisiana, at one fare plus $2.00 for the round trip. For further information call on or address T. Pennell, 110 Library Bleck or W. L. Smith, Union Depot. to June 23

SEALED BIDS.

Public notice is hereby given that the contract will be let by the city of Decatur for the construction of the city patrol wagon house, according to the plans and specifications now on file in the city clerk's office, and that sealed bids will be received from date hereof until 5 o'clock p. m., June 15, 1896. A certified check in the sum of $200 must accompany each bid.

Said contract will be let to the lowest responsible bidder. The right to reject any and all bids is hereby reserved.

F. L. HAYS, City Clerk.

Dated this 5th day of June, A. D. 1896.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the stockholders of the H. Mueller Plumbing and Heating Co. held at their office on the 14th day of May, 1896, the name of the corporation was changed from the H. Mueller Plumbing and Heating Co. to the Decatur Plumbing and Heating Co, and that the certificates of such change have been filed in the office of the secretary of state and in the office of the recorder of deeds in the county of Macon, as provided by law.

W. H. ELWOOD, President.

O. W. DAWSON, Secretary.

June 4-d6w

DONE WITH DYNAMITE

A Bomb Thrown Into the Midst of a Religious Procession

KILLS ELEVEN PERSONS OUTRIGHT

And Injures Two Score More—The Populace Wild with Excitement and Indignation and Summary Punishment Threatened.

BARCELONA, June 8.—As the result of an explosion of a bomb thrown into the street while a religious procession was passing last evening, 11 persons were killed and 40 wounded. The man who committed the outrage has been taken into custody, and great excitement prevails.

Later.

The excitement caused by the explosion shows no sign of diminution, and the people very vigorously demand that no effort be spared to capture and convict the culprits. When it became known that the killed numbered 11 instead of six, as stated in the first report, the public became very indignant.

Yesterday an angry mob gathered around the building where the suspects are held and demanded summary justic be dealt out. It looked as though the mob would attempt to storm the prefecture in order to wreak vengeance on the suspects. The civil guards on duty at the place were speedily reinforced and were frequently compelled to charge upon the crowd to make them keep their distance. The mob scattered temporarily, but would soon gather again threatening to lynch the prisoners.

Barcelona is not alone in its attempt to repress, with a stern hand, the recrudescence of anarchy. The royal government and the municipal authorities of Madrid are taking measures to prevent the commission of outrages in the capital.

A CRUCIAL CONTEST.

Big Strike of Linotype Operators and Printers in Minneapolis and St. Paul.

ST. PAUL, Minn., June 9.—The daily papers of St. Paul and Minneapolis are involved in the biggest strike of their lives. At six o'clock last night every linotype operator of the Globe, Pioneer Press, Dispatch, Tribune, Journal and Times left his place. With them went the advertising compositors, the proof readers and their helpers, 140 men in all.

The newspapers have manned their typesetting machines with typewriters, stenographers and reporters, and have arranged a temporary exchange of their news. For instance, one paper sets up telegraph, another local, another Minneapolis news and another markets and the lot exchange matrices.

At ten o'clock last night it was evident that the papers would all get out this morning, although they will set only about half as much matter as usual.

The trouble has been brewing for several weeks. The proprietors asked that the piece scale, 12½ cents for nonpareil and 14 cents for minion, be abolished. and that all men work for $23 per week of 50 hours. The printers asked for $23 and a week of 49 hours. No agreement was reached, and the printers of the two cities resolved to quit work last evening at six o'clock. A carload of printers will arrive here to-day in time to help out the morning papers.

Mr. G. A. Stillson, a merchant of Tampico, Ill., writes, August 10th, 1891: "Foley's Kidney Cure is meeting with wonderful success. It has cured some cases here that physicians pronounced incurable. I myself am able to testify to its merits. My face to-day is a living picture of health, and Foley's Kidney Cure has made it such. I had suffered twenty-seven years with the disease, and to-day I feel ten years younger than I did one year ago. I can obtain some wonderful certificates of its medical qualities." Neisler Drug & Supply Co. and N. L. Krone.

The Knights of Pythias lodges of St. Joseph, Sidney and Homer have arranged to hold a joint Fourth of July celebration on the fair grounds at the latter place.

Do You Travel?

If so, never start on a journey without a bottle of Foley's Cure and Diarrhoea Cure, a sure preventive of bowel complaints occasioned by change of water or climate. 25c. Neisler Drug & Supply Co. and N. L. Krone.

Charles Jansen, of Jacksonville, has been absent from home for almost four months and his parents are very anxious concerning him.

Electric Bitters.

Electric Bitters is a medicine suited for any season, but perhaps more generally needed when the languid, exhausted feeling prevails, when the liver is torpid and sluggish and the need of a tonic and alterative is felt. A prompt use of this medicine has often averted long and perhaps fatal bilious fevers No medicine will act more surely in counteracting and freeing the system from the malarial poison. Headache, indigestion, Constipation, Dizziness yield to Electric Bitters. 50c and $1.00 per bottle at West's drug store.

Mrs. John McMullin, of Bondville, has been adjudged insane.

Edgar S. Pells, a former citizen of Paxton, now living in New York state, has been mulcted for $12,000 in a breach of promise suit.

About the Eye.

For people with sore eyes, weak, watery eyes, and red and inflamed eyes, caused by age, catarrh or otherwise, the Brazilian Balm is a priceless boon. Put 15 or 20 drops of Balm into a spoonfull of warm water and bathe the eyes well night and morning, getting some of the solution into the eyes. The relief and benefit is worth a hundred times the cost.

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If a woman is not attractive, there is something wrong. Any woman can be attractive if she will make the effort. It isn't altogether a question of beauty. It's largely a matter of health. The bloom and glow of health go far toward bringing beauty. A clear skin, bright eyes, red lips and the vivacity which bodily good feeling brings, will make even a homely woman handsome.

Half of the women one meets are semi-invalids. Failure to heed the warnings of outraged nature—failure to give the help needed by the most delicate and sensitive organs—little troubles ignored until they have become dominant—disease allowed every chance to spread and gain a settled seat—these things bring about the sunken, circled eyes, the hollow cheeks, the pale and sallow skin, the flabby, strengthless flesh, which characterize the appearance of the woman who suffers from "female weakness."

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has cured thousands of suffering women. It is a perfected specific for the troubles peculiar to them. It eradicates the disease, stops the dragging, life-sapping drain, and in a perfectly rational, natural way, builds up the wasted strength. It will bring buoyant health. It will put roses into pale faces—solid flesh in sunken places. It does away with the humiliating examinations and "local treatment" so much dreaded by modestly sensitive women. For thirty years, it has been successfully prescribed by Dr. Pierce, Chief Consulting Physician to the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute at Buffalo, N. Y.

Master in Chancery's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
COUNTY OF MACON.

Ann Bolles vs. James T. Bolles et al—In Partition. No. 15,252.

Public notice is hereby given in pursuance of a decree of the circuit court of Macon county, state of Illinois, entered at the January term, A. D. 1896, of said court, in the above entitled cause, I. James J. Finn, master-in-chancery of said court, will on

Wednesday, the 17th day of June, 1896,

at the hour 2 o'clock, p. m. at the front door of the court house, in the City of Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois, offer for sale at public vendue to the highest and best bidder the land described in said decree as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the southeast corner of lot six, (6), in block eleven (11), in South Addition to the City of Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois, thence south sixty (60) feet, thence west one hundred and ten (110) feet, thence north sixty (60) feet, thence east one hundred and ten (110) feet to the place of beginning, situated in Macon county, Illinois.

Terms Cash in hand.

Dated at Decatur, Illinois, May 16, 1896.

JAMES J. FINN, Master in Chancery.

LEFORGEE & LEE, Solicitors.

May 18, 1896-d4w

WABASH EXCURSIONS.

The Wabash Railroad will sell excursion tickets at greatly reduced rates to the following meetings:

On the first Tuesday of every month one way tickets to principal points in the South at one cent per mile.

Milwaukee, Wis, account B. Y. P. U. One fare round trip. Sell July 15, 16, 17. Good returning till August 5th.

Milwaukee, Wis., account National Republican League, August 25 to 27. One fare round trip.

St. Paul, account National Encampment, G. A. R., one cent per mile. Sell August 31 and Sept. 1st; good returning till Sept. 30.

Omaha, Neb., account Evangelistic Conference and Annual Institute and Convention of the Young People's Christian Union. One fare round trip Sell August 15, 17, 18: good returning for 20 days.

Washington, D. C., account Y. P. S. C. E.; one fare round trip. Sell July 4, 5, 6 and 7; good returning till July 31.

Buffalo, N. Y., account National Educational Association. One fare, plus $2.00, round trip. Sell July 5 and 6; good returning till Sept. 1st.

St. Louis account Republican National Convention; one fare round trip. Sell June 13, 14, 15, 16, 17; good returning till June 21.

Chicago, account Democratic Convention; one fare round trip. Sell July 4, 5, 6, 7; good returning July 8.

St. Louis, account Populist National Convention and National Silver Convention. One fare round trip. Meeting July 22.

St. Louis and Return. Tickets sold every Saturday afternoon and Sunday. One fare round trip. Sunday excursion tickets at one fare round trip are sold to all points on St. Louis Division. Good going and returning only on day of sale.

Harvest Excursions June 9th and 23d, to principal points in the West; one fare for the round trip plus $2 00. Tickets good returning every Tuesday and Friday for 21 days.

Cleveland, O., account Imperial Council, Nobles of Mystic Shrine. Sell June 21st and 22d; limit returning June 25th. One fare for round trip.

Denver, Col., account Junior Order United American Mechanics. Sell June 13th and 14th; limit returning July 15th. One fare plus $2.00 for round trip.

Cleron, N. Y. (Lake Chatauqua), account Photographers' Association of America; one fare round trip. Sell June 21st and 22d. Good returning till June 30th.

Portland, Oregon, account Eclectic Medical Association. Sell June 10th and 11th; good returning 30 days; $75.05 round trip from Decatur.

For full information regarding dates of sale, limits of tickets, rates maps and descriptive advertising matter, write or apply to C. A. Pollock Passenger and Ticket Agent Wabash Railroad, Decatur, Ill.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of W. B. Hostetler and against George W. Lichtenberger and Lenora Lichtenberger, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: The undivided one-ninth (1-9) of the following described real estate situated in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, subject to the dower interest of Mary Goodpasture, to-wit: Twenty (20) acres off of the north end of the west half of the southwest quarter of section seventeen (17) in township sixteen (16) north, range three (3) east of the 3d p. m. Also commencing thirty-two (32) rods south of the northwest corner of the east half (½) of the southwest quarter of said section seventeen (17) thence south 64 rods, thence east 40 rods, thence north 64 rods, thence west 40 rods to the place of beginning. Also commencing at the southeast corner of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of said section seventeen (17), thence west ten (10) chains, thence north 6 and 67-100 chains, thence east ten (10) chains, and thence south 6 and 67-100 chains to the place of beginning. Taken as the property of the said George W. Lichtenberger and Lenora Lichtenberger, which I shall offer at public sale at the north door of the court house in Macon county, in said state, on the 6th day of June, A. D. 1896, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 15th day of May, A. D. 1896.

J. F. NICHOLSON,
Sheriff Macon County, Illinois.

May 15 d3w

EXECUTRIX' NOTICE.

Estate of Raleigh F. Albert, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed executrix of the estate of Raleigh T. Albert, deceased, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the July term, on the first Monday in July next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 23d day of May, 1896.

BARBARA ALBERT, Executrix.

May 23-d3w

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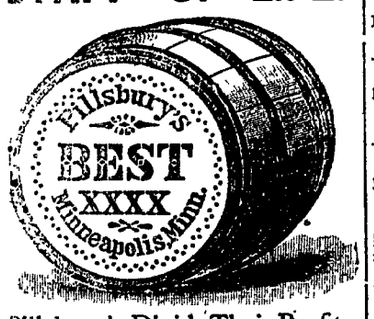

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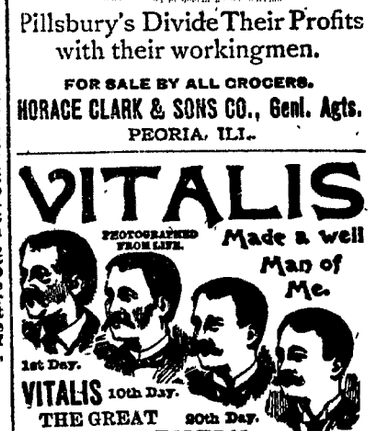

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R. R. TIME TABLES.

In effect May 20, 1896.

Wabash Line

FROM ST. LOUIS.	TO ST. LOUIS.
No. 10 Pass†.. 8:55 p m	No. 11 Pass*.. 6:55 a m
" 14 Pass*..11:42 a m	" 8 Pass*.. 3:40 a m
" 4 Pass†..11:25 a m	" 5 Pass†.. 3.55 p m
" 2 Pass*..10:18 p m	" 15 Pass*.. 3:50 p m
" 12 Pass*..12:05 a m	No. 1 Pass* .12 13 a m
No. 6 Pass*... 5:25 a m	No. 7 Pass* 8 00 p m
" 16 Pass‡..10:00 p m	
‡Sunday only.	

FROM QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.	TO QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.
No. 2 Pass*..10:05 p m	No. 3 Pass*.. 5.40 a m
" 4 Pass*..11:20 a m	" 5 Pass*.. 3 52 p m
" 16 Pass*.. 5:20 a m	" 17 Pass*.. 8:10 p m
" 10 Pass†.. 4:35 p m	" 11 Pass† .10 37 a m

FROM TOLEDO AND DETROIT.	TO TOLEDO AND DETROIT.
No. 3 Pass*.. 3:20 a m	No. 6 Pass*.. 5 38 a m
" 5 Pass†.. 3:38 p m	" 4 Pass†..11 30 a m
" 17 Pass*.. 8:00 p m	" 2 Pass*..10.18 p m
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No. 1 Pass*...12:10 a m	

FROM CHICAGO.	TO CHICAGO.
No. 13 Pass*.. 3:30 a m	No. 12 Pass*. 1:05 a m
" 15 Pass*.. 3:45 p m	" 14 Pass*. 11:47 a m
" 17 Pass*...8:00 p m	" 16 Pass*. 7.00 a m

*Daily. †Daily, except Sunday.

Illinois Central.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
Diamond Special, daily.....1:41 a m	Diamond Special, daily.....2:42 a m
No. 122 pass. ex. Sunday.....9:40 a m	No. 125 pass. ex. Sunday ..... 9:45 a m
No. 194 freight ex. Sunday.....2:00 p m	No. 193 freight ex. Sunday .....10 30 a m
No. 126 pass. ex. Sunday.....5:55 p m	No. 103 pass. ex. Sunday.....5 35 p m
No. 702 (Champ'n line) leaves, ex. Sunday.....2:25 p m	No. 701 (Champ'n line) arrives ex. Sunday.....10.15 a m
No. 704—to Chicago, via Champa'n, daily 7:00 a m	No. 703—From Chicago, daily 7 45 p m

Peoria, Decatur and Evansville.

Arrive from Peoria	Arrive from Evansville
A No. 1.....10:42 a. m.	A No. 2.....2 41 p. m
D No. 3.....10:10 p. m.	A No. 4..... 3 50 a. m
A No. 31.....4:50 p. m.	A No. 30..... 6 15 a. m.
	S No. 36..... 7 10 a. m.

Depart for Peoria	Depart for Evansville
A No. 2.....2:47 p. m.	A No. 1.....10.50 a. m.
A No. 4.....4:10 a. m.	D No. 3.... .10 20 p. m.
A No. 30.....6:35 a. m.	A No. 31..... 5 00 p. m.
S No. 36.....7:30 a. m.	A No 11.....3 15 p. m.
A No. 10.....10:42 a. m.	
"A"—Daily Except Sunday.	"D"—Daily. "S" Sunday Only.

Arrive from Peoria.	Arrive from Evansville.
S No. 41 Pas. 11.12 a. m.	S No. 40, Pas. 3.10 p m.
*Depart for Peoria.	Depart for Evansville.
S No. 40 Pas., 3:30 p. m.	S No. 41 Pas. 11:30 a m.
"S," Sunday only.	

Indiana, Decatur & Western Ry Co.

ARRIVE.	LEAVE.
No. 1 Pass.....2:35 p m	No. 2 Pass.....11:30 a m
" 3 Pass.....4:05 a m	" 4 Pass.....10.20 p m
" 7 Accom. 10:00 a m	" 8 Accom.. 4.00 a m
" 9 Freight. 8:00 p m	" 10 Freight. 7 00 a m

Trains 7 and 8 run between Newman and Decatur.

Vandalia Line.

ARRIVE.	
From Terre Haute....	11:05 a m—7.45 p m
From Peoria.....	3:00 p m—9:45 p m
LEAVE.	
To Peoria.....	11:30 a m—8:30 a m
To Terre Haute.....	7:00 a m—9:10 p m

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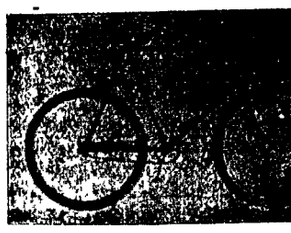

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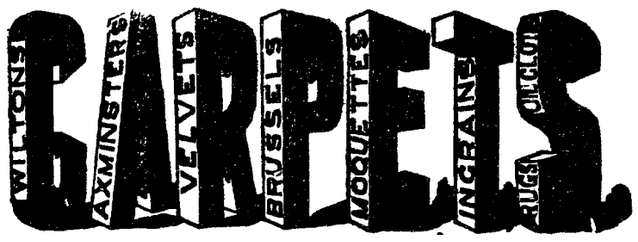

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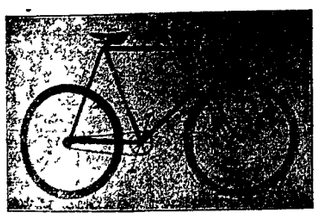

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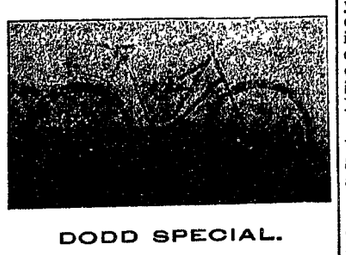

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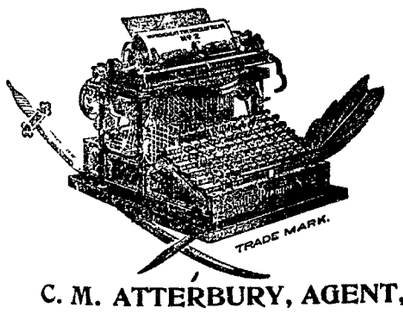

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A TERRIBLE ACCIDENT.

Three Men Killed by the Premature Explosion of a Blast.

KINGSTON, N. Y., June 9.—A telephone message to the Freemans states that at 1:30 p. m. yesterday a horrible accident occurred at the Horton Cement works at Binnewater, a small hamlet about five miles from this city. A blast exploded prematurely and killed instantly the following men: Aroon Turwilliger, Thomas Ryder and Fred Charles.

George Early was badly injured, but is expected to recover. The dead men were all married. The bodies were terribly mangled by the explosion. The hamlet is wild with excitement over the unfortunate accident.

SIN AND REMORSE

Lead to the Death of a Mother and Probably that of Her Son.

JAMESTOWN, N. Y., June 9.—A family tragedy occurred at Cherry Creek Saturday and Sunday. Some weeks ago Mrs. Wallace Persons, of that village, accused her husband of undue familiarity with a young woman who lived near by. Persons assaulted his wife and was sent to jail for three months. Saturday night Mrs. Persons observed her son, a young man, in company with the same woman and went home and took a heavy dose of arsenic. Her son, when he learned of this, was filled with remorse and took a dose of strychnine. The mother died Sunday and the son is in a critical condition.

Washington Correspondents En Route to St. Louis.

WASHINGTON, June 8.—The Washington correspondents of the principal daily papers throughout the country left Washington for the republican convention yesterday afternoon at four o'clock and are scheduled to arrive at St. Louis this evening at seven o'clock. They travel luxuriously on a special train through the courtesy of the Pennsylvania lines. About one hundred were in the party.

Delayed by the continuance of congress, another contingent of the leading correspondents, including the convention staff of the United Press, will leave here to-morrow afternoon via the Chesapeake & Ohio and reach St. Louis on Friday. Both parties will return together after the convention.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, dearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars; free.

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Sold by druggists, 75c.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

The Champaign Business college will hereafter occupy the Champaign opera house, having leased it for a term of years.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Diamondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist church at Rives Junction she was brought down with Pneumonia succeeding La Grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption, and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results." At West's drug store.

The members of the Baptist church at Rantoul set a worthy example by forwarding to the St. Louis sufferers about $200.

When You Take Your Vacation

the most necessary article to have with you (after your pocket book) is a bottle of Foley's Colic and Diarrhoea Cure. It is an absolute prevention or cure of all derangements of the bowels caused by a change of water. You are likely to need it. Neisler Drug and Supply Co. and N. L. Krone.

The residence of A. W. Rogers, near Wing, was burlgarized by two boy tramps Sunday morning while the family were at church.

Penny Wise and Pound Foolish

are they who have not Foley's Colic and Diarrhoea Cure as a safeguard in the family. Neisler Drug & Supply Co. and N. L. Krone.

The authorities at Forrest are after a number of hoodlums who make it their business to destroy street lamps.

Diagnosis of Grippe.

True grippe is a germ disease. These germs are in the circulation and pervade every tissue and organ of the body. This brings speedy collapse and often death to the aged and debilitated. The only germicide known that searches out and destroys every grippe germ in the system is Brazilian Balm. A week or ten days' treatment effects a complete cure.

For sale by Armstrong Bros., Druggists.

E. Naylor has traded his property in Fisher for a section of land in Missouri and will probably move there.

Dr. L. Kittinger, a leading physician of Wilmington, Del., asked the proprietor of Brazilian Balm to send him a dollar bottle. A few weeks afterwards the doctor said: "I had a couple of cases of old Cough on hand that completely baffled me. I had got to the end of my string. But the Balm made a prompt cure in both cases. It is a remarkable remedy."

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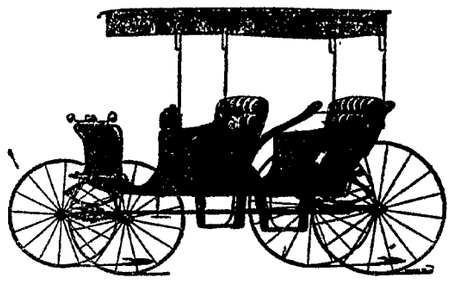
Fairbury has a cycling club of thirty members.

The Urbana public school closed Wednesday.

They Must be Converted Into Cash OR GOOD NOTES,

AND THAT QUICK, TOO.



We are carrying a large line of very fine vehicles because we have been unable to move them at a fair profit. The demand this year has been less than usual for very fine vehicles.

We traded harness for our vehicles and therefore made our profit in paying for them and can afford to sell them cheap; much cheaper than the fellows who pay cash.

It is no longer a question of profit; they must be sold, profit or no profit.

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Decatur's Largest Variety. Bicycles, Vehicles, Harness.

Three Meals

a day, no matter how warm the weather. And yet the task isn't such a burdensome one, even in weather as warm as the present, when you have a gas range. If you have not a gas range there is certainly no good reason why you should not get one at once. In the first place the price of fuel gas has been reduced to $1.25 a thousand. This makes

Gas the Cheapest Fuel

you can use. It is cheaper than gasoline at 11 cents a gallon, and then it make no odor; there is no danger and no insurance permit is necessary. You turn the valve, you touch the match, and when the meal is done another turn of the wheel and the expense stops.

How Simple! How Comfortable!

You do not know what you are missing if you are still doing your cooking over an old-fashioned coal stove or a dangerous, ill-smelling gasoline makeshift. Not only has the price of fuel gas been reduced, but in order to get as many gas ranges into operation as possible this summer,

The Decatur Gaslight & Coke Co.

have bought a large number of various styles of the lastest and best gas ranges made and are offering them at exactly what they cost to manufacture. If you are interested in the subject, and every woman should be, call at their office in the

PASFIELD BUILDING, ON NORTH MAIN STREET,

see the gas ranges they are showing, and be surprised at how few dollars it will take to get one of them.

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Belts in all different lengths and all colors of leather---White Kid, Black Seal, Brown Seal, Dark Alligator, Light Alligator, &c., with Silver Buckles; also with Leather Buckles. All of these goods are Genuine Leather, including some of the newest things just received.

A great many new and attractive odd pieces in Sterling Silver, suitable for graduating presents.

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New Spring Goods.

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Went the glass in our new show windows while the workmen were setting them. We can make no show in our windows till other glass arrives, but we will cut the price inside our store to make our trade bigger than ever.

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Too many—must be sold.

Nice Laundered Percale Waists at 48c.

Best Quality Striped Percale Waists at 75c.

New Persian Pattern Percale Waists, separate collars, at 98c, worth $1.50.

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Separate Skirts at $2.48, $3.00, $3.50, $5.00.

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Challies, light or dark colors, cut to 4¾c.

Best 15c Dimity Dress Goods cut to 10c.

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About 100 pairs of assorted kinds Oxford Tie Shoes to be closed out at 98c a pair.

Trade at Our Store This Week and Save Money.

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LOCAL NEWS.

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Prescriptions carefully compounded day or night at Opera House drug store.

This is examination week at the High school. Promotion cards will be in demand on Saturday.

Rubber tires for surreys and buggies. George S. Durfee & Bro., 158 South Water street.—11-dtf

What's the matter with you? Constipated? Cascarets will cure. Eat them like candy.

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Lowney's first-class chocolates and World's Premium box candies are handled exclusively by Whitley.

Just Received—A full line of fresh garden seeds from the best and most reliable seedsmen by Spencer & Lehman company. Feb. 26, d&w 3mo.

Go to Spencer & Lehman company for wood pumps, iron pumps, force pumps and pump repairs. feb6d&wtf

Just before going to bed eat a Cascaret candy cathartic. Makes you feel fine in the morning.

Mama eats a Cascaret, baby gets the benefit. Cascarets make mother's milk mildly purgative.

The Holden Comedy company will be at the Grand every night during the association races at the driving park, beginning August 17.

The members of the Tribe of Ben Hur will hold a business meeting this evening at 8 o'clock at the office of Dr. A. L. Collins on North Main street.

Go to Spencer & Lehman company for fine surreys, canopy and extension top-buggies and road wagons, and a full line of medium grade vehicles.

Feb. 26, d&w tf

Children's Day exercises will be held at Grace Methodist church next Sunday afternoon. A feature of the services will be the administration of baptism to several children by the pastor, Rev. R. G. Hobbs.

On Monday invitations were issued to the eleventh annual meeting of the Grain Dealers' association of Illinois. It will be held in Decatur June 23. There will be a morning and afternoon session and a banquet at night.

The Linn & Scruggs and the Wabash Telegraphers' nine had a game yesterday afternoon at the park. The score was 7 to 6 in favor of the Telegraphers. The battery was Hays and Hays for the Linn & Scruggs nine and Bain and Kinsman for the Telegraphers.

Riverside Park Theatre.

Mark E. Swan's Stock Co. opens at Riverside park, June 15th, in "The Other Man's Wife," a strong new play. A fine company has been engaged and a number of strong plays will be given. Free admittance to Riverside can be secured by purchasing transportation out and back on the electric cars, at the transfer house. A few seats will be reserved and coupons for these can be secured at a nominal figure, at the transfer house. Mr. Swan is a great local favorite and made quite a success at the park in '92 and '93.

Remember Riverside Show—Ten Cents.

Will pass you to Riverside in show and return. Ask your motorman for show ticket when you pay your fare. You cannot get in the show without a ticket. Ten cents is the price. Coupon tickets will not be honored for show tickets. Parties taking car for show at Lincoln square will buy their ticket at transfer office. City Electric Railway Co.—9d-4t

Your Feet at Home.

Cool, comfortable feet make a cool calculating head. Tan shoes are the thing to accomplish it with. We are showing some exceptionally pretty styles in men's and womens' tans. All the toes, all the widths. They please the eye and your feet are at home in them. Men's high and low cuts $2.00 to $5.00. Our $5.00 line is the most perfect and highest quality made. Women's all styles . $1.50 to $4.00. Our Oxfords are simply exquisite.

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THE BOND IS $30,000.

H. C. Montgomery Appointed Receiver for the Municipal Electric Light Plant.

In the circuit court last evening just before the hour for adjournment the name of H. C. Montgomery, late county treasurer, was submitted to Judge Vail for appointment as receiver for the Municipal Electric Light and Power company plant, and Mr. Montgomery was at once appointed to take charge of the property and conduct it until further orders. The bond is $30,000. The bond will be furnished at once, and then Receiver Montgomery will take charge of the plant. It is understood that the selection of Mr. Montgomery meets with the approval of about all of the parties in interest. There is some talk about the bringing about of a settlement of all the claims, in order that some of the money tied up in the property may become available, but it is all talk. None of the money in the plant is in danger. The plant is said to be one of the best paying properties in the city, and its earnings will more than meet all obligations. Mr. Montgomery will have the best of electricians to aid him in conducting the plant and he will make a good showing every month.

There was a brief session of court this morning when an adjournment was taken until after the noon hour.

People's Docket.

People vs. Frank Wheatfield, grand larceny; trial by jury; verdict guilty.

People vs. John Goodman, grand larceny; defendant pleaded guilty to petit larceny and was sentenced to thirty days in jail; fined $25 and costs.

People vs. Tommy Bell, arson; by agreement case stricken from the docket with leave to reinstate, and the boy was discharged with the understanding that he will go to Indiana to make his home with his uncle. Attorney J. H. Latham represented the boy, who is only 10 years old.

People vs. May Irwin, grand larceny; defendant pleaded not guilty.

People vs. James Whitaker, burglary and petit larceny; plea of guilty entered and defendant sent to the reform school; nolle as to Thomas Sanders.

Common Law Docket.

Columbia Manufacturing company for use of etc., vs. the Greenwich Insurance company of New York, assumpsit; default; trial by jury; judgment for plaintiff for $1,589 and costs.

C. Felker vs. Adam Scott et al., assumpsit; rule to plead discharged by agreement and judgment against S. L. Crow and Jennie M. Crow and case dismissed as to Scott by agreement on file.

Chancery Docket.

P. S. Outten vs. L. B. Casner, foreclosure; master reports due complainant $2,274.66

C. M. Allison vs. A. D. Risley, foreclosure; master reports $317 due; decree of sale for same and costs.

Nora Pensinger vs. William H. Pensinger, divorce; cause heard and decree, alimony and custody of children.

M. L. Howe vs. Myra A. Howe, divorce; cause heard and decree.

George W. Handy vs. Nancy D. Schneider, foreclosure; master reports $1,653 due complainant; decree of sale.

Savings Fund Building association vs. Jacob E. McNeil, foreclosure; master reports $952 due complainant; decree for same and costs and $50 attorney fee.

Same vs. John H. Robinson, foreclosure; master reports $366 due; decree for same and costs and $35 attorneys fees.

In the following divorce cases the order decree pro confesso was entered:

Susan Hoyle vs. Lee J. Hoyle.

Susan P. Allen vs. Elisha P. Allen.

Nora Reavis vs. Joseph L Reavis.

Nancy A. Kerschner vs. Henry C. Kerschner.

Bert Souders vs. Lucy Souders.

Nora B. Huffaker vs. Harrison L. Huffaker.

Lottie Kellar vs. W. T. Kellar, evidence heard and divorce granted.

Nicholas Wittig vs. Amanda Wittig, divorce; motion entered for temporary alimony.

Ella LaMon vs. John F. LaMon, divorce; decree pro confesso.

Frank Batchelder vs. Lewis Curtis, et al., bill to quiet title; decree pro confesso as to adult defendants not answering and referred to master.

William H. Whittington vs. Lida A. Whittington, divorce; decree pro confesso.

Henry H. Colter vs. Larkin T. Crawford et al, foreclosure; decree pro confesso and referred to master.

Hannah Sutcliffe vs. Richard Sutcliffe, divorce; decree pro confesso.

B. F. Cleghorn vs. Mary Cleghorn, divorce; decree pro confesso.

Miles K. Young, receiver vs. John W. Hartley, et al, foreclosure; decree pro confesso and referred to master.

Same vs. W. F. Miller et al, foreclosure; referred to master.

James M. Stokey vs. Samuel W. Stookey et al, bill; suit dismissed by complainant at his cost.

C. C Webb et al, vs. John Birt et al mechanics' lien; settled and stricken.

Clara Long vs. George W. Long, divorce; evidence heard; decree granted.

The Nat.

As soon as it was sweltering enough for Mr. Mills to open the natatorium at Riverside for the accommodation of the public, the temperature took a drop, and now it is almost cool enough for overcoats. Nevertheless the nat is open day and evening and those who like can find good swimming and have a good time. It will be hotter by and by and you will then enjoy the plunges a little more than you would just now. Visit the nat any day or evening.

Broke Her Arm.

Mrs. Emanuel Shively, living at No. 660 East Condit street, met with a painful accident yesterday. She slipped and fell and broke both bones of her left arm near the wrist. Dr. Pierce-Collins reduced the fracture.

A Camping Party.

A number of young ladies and gentlemen held a meeting last evening at the home of George Ennis to make arrangements for a camping party which they will give soon. They will go to the Kretzer farm west of the city.

A Dinner Party.

At their home on South Union street this evening Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Patterson will entertain at a dinner party the following ministers who are members of the committee having in charge the arbitration of the Christian church matters: Rev. J. H. Gilliland, Rev. N. S. Haynes, Rev. J. T. Waggoner, Rev. S. S. Jones and Rev. J. M. Smart.

A Wedding at Taylorville.

The wedding of Paul Smith, of Chicago, and Miss Little Ricks is to occur on June 24 at the home of the bride in Taylorville. Both persons are well known in this city. Mr. Smith is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith, who formerly lived in Decatur and Miss Ricks has visited in this city frequently. A large number of persons will attend the wedding from here.

Married.

A very quiet marriage was solemnized Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, in the parlors of the Antlers hotel in this city. The contracting parties were Meredith L. Moore and Lucinda Scannen, both residents of Decatur. Judge Alfred Adams performed the ceremony, and after an elegant wedding supper, served in the dining room, the couple returned to Decatur, where they will make their future home. —Taylorville Breeze, June 8.

Will Go to Maroa.

The members of Macon Chapter, No. 1, Royal Arch Masons will go to Maroa this afternoon to confer the degree of Royal Arch on six candidates. They were invited to go to Maroa to conduct the exercises by the Maroa Chapter, No. 146. The party will leave Decatur at 5:55 p. m. on the Illinois Central train. Other members of the fraternity who want to go with the lodge are requested to report to Thomas Peniwell. Reduced rates have been secured.

A Warning to Boys.

Last evening Roy Johnson, aged 16, son of Willis Johnson of 908 North Broadway, had a narrow escape from death. He is laid up at his home with a badly fractured leg as a result of trying the experiment of getting on a moving switch engine. P., D. & E. switch engine was coming toward him and he tried to step on the front step after the fashion of experienced men. One foot caught in the tie and the engine went against the leg snapping the bones above the ankle. The boy did not lose his presence of mind and with the uninjured foot he managed to get on the step. The heel on his shoe which had caught in the ties tore off and with the help of a man standing on the engine he was gotten out of harm's way. Dr. Jones was called and gave him the necessary surgical attention.

The L. C Smith Cup.

The L. C. Smith cup, which was won by Chauncey Powers at the Illinois State Sportsmen's Tournament at Chicago a few days ago, was on exhibition in the window of Post's jewelry store today. It is a handsome piece of silverware almost three feet high and of a beautiful design. At the base are two hunting dogs and on each side of the cup are two guns and a game pouch, suggestive of the sportsman.

The cup does not belong to Mr. Powers but it simply held by him until another shoot next year when it is turned over to whoever may be the winner. It is worth over $300 to the holder as he will receive the entrance fees for the next shoot which generally are equal to that amount. Mr. Powers represented the Decatur Gun club and that society will receive a present of the money.

Good-Bye Dinner Party.

Dr. W. A. Barnes, in honor of W. B. Chambers, entertained the members of the Waucedah Hunting club at dinner last night at the home of his son, Albert Barnes, 520 West William street. Mr. Chambers is soon to take up his residence in Missouri, and on this account the members of the hunting club came together as the guest of Dr. Barnes. The menu was elaborate. Dr. Barnes was toastmaster. The first toast, "Reminiscence," was responded to by Messrs. May and Bowers. The second, "Our Departing Friend," by W. C. Jones. The club members present were William Bowers, D. S. Shellabarger, V. H. Parke, Dr. W. J. Chenoweth, William Starr, D. A. Maffit, Henry May, W. C. Johns, Dr. H. C. Jones and Wm. Traver.

Mr. Chambers and family leave this evening for Missouri. Mr. Chambers will retain his interest in the C., B. & Q. works, and will not dispose of his residence property here. He will frequently visit Decatur on business trips.

THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

The Committee on Ministerial Standing Is in Session and the Members Are Considering the Matter.

The committee on ministerial standing of the ministerial association are in the city and today the members are in session considering the matter of the existing trouble between the Christian church people. The members of the committee are Rev. J. H. Gilliland, of Lincoln; Rev. N. S. Haynes, of Chicago; Rev. J. T. Waggoner, of Eureka; Rev. S. S. Jones, of Danville, and Rev. J. M. Smart, of Virginia, Ill.

The representatives of the old Christian church and the Tabernacle have signed a compromise whereby they agree to accept any decision that the committee may render. A preliminary session was held last evening at the old church on North Edward street and today the evidence in the case was presented by both sides. The gentlemen will probably return a decision this evening and it is hoped by members of both factions that this will finally settle the matter.

The committee is composed of ministers who are prominent in the Christian churches of this state and whose opinions in all church matters are regarded as correct. Mr. Haynes was formerly of this city and Mr. Waggoner was at one time pastor of the Harristown church. After both sides have given their evidence, submitting their claims the committee will give the matter their consideration. When they reach a decision they will make it known. At present they are meeting with closed doors and not even members of the church not bidden are allowed to be present.

BALL ON THE SQUARE.

Proposed Dedication of the New Transfer Station and the Wide Concrete Promenade.

Various suggestions have been made recently as to the proper manner of dedicating the new transfer station on Lincoln square—the best way to please and gratify the greatest number of people who have an interest in the improvement which is the envy of all street car men and car patrons in the state who know that Decatur has such a handy arrangement. This forenoon one of the gentlemen who was a prime mover in getting the transfer station built stated that it was his intention to advocate the giving of a free dance on the promenade some Saturday night, beginning at eight o'clock and letting it go until 11:30. The music he said would be by Goodman's Band stationed under the tower. He believed a dance would be just the thing because all of the permanent fixtures are just right for a big party on the square. And besides it would be such a novelty that everybody, rich and poor, would participate in the hop.

The gentlemen said that due announcement would be made of the date of the dance, so that everybody from all parts of the town could assemble in their Sunday best and dance without paying a penny. He is in favor of sending out invitations to the officers and dignitaries of neighboring cities to pay Decatur a visit on the night of the hop. Parties who do not care to dance can stand around and look on.

Credit Men to Meet at Toledo

It is requested that the Republican call attention to the first annual meeting of the National Credit Mens' association to be held at Toledo, Ohio, on the 23d, 24th, and 25th of June. The parent of this movement is Mr. P. R. Earling, No. 23 Lake street, Chicago, Ill., author of the Earling bankruptcy bill. He now holds the position of chairman of the Chicago committee of Credit Men.

The central ideas of the association are: To better protect credits; to reduce losses from bad debts; to prevent fraud and injustice to creditors; to make prosecution and punishment of fraud more certain; to reform and improve collection laws, to inaugurate a system of improvement in collection methods; to improve present methods of handling bankrupt estates, etc.

This meeting will bring together several hundred of the best known business men in this country and it is desired that Decatur wholesalers be represented by one or more delegates. There will be a free banquet and a steamer ride on the lake. The railroads have made a rate of a fare and a third for the round trip on the certificate plan.

Funerals.

The funeral of the late Jesse Hart, who died Sunday, was held yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the residence, No 753 East William street. The services were conducted by Rev. R. G. Hobbs, of the Grace Methodist church and music was rendered by a choir composed of Mrs. Henkle, Mrs. Conklin, Will Shellabarger and Sherman McClelland. The burial was at Greenwood cemetery. The pallbearers were Felix Garver, W. H. Horton, H. A. Aldridge, Jacob Davis and David White.

The funeral of the late Thomas Jones was held this afternoon at 3 o'clock from St. Patrick's church. The burial was at the Catholic cemetery.

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Entertainment to be Held Auditorium To-Nigh

MARK HANNA NOW ON THE

The National Committee M Consider the Long List of tested Delegates—Tom P on His Way to St. Louis

St. Louis, June 10.—The co auditorium will be dedicated tom program consisting of vocal an mental music, interspersed with by prominent men who will be A plan is on foot to make a long telephone connections with man cities where music and speech will also occur. A test of the properties of the hall made toda that an ordinary speaker can plainly in all parts of the room.

Senator Thurston, a member o publican national committee f braska, appeared at breakfast, the first combination presidential presidential badge displayed. It faces of McKinley and Hobart Jersey. He said with McKinl head of the ticket an eastern wanted as a running mate. He Hobart the available man. I help to keep New Jersey in the can ranks and was strong in N He said he believed the Indiana tion on the financial question wo the model of which the money plan be based. He said it was brief and very skilfully avoided in ref name to any of the mooted q "It is unmistakably a sound n terance and at the same time, a mention of the gold standard, to which by name would dri away from the ticket in some The Indiana form of expression more acceptable in the east tha Ohio. He believed the Indiana would be satisfactory to all the states except the silver producin of Colorado, Utah, Montana, Id vada and possibly Wyoming. Bu have altogether only nineteen vo electoral college the party could lose them. No doubt some ea board delegates would contend fo explicit declaration for gold but not be wise to concede their ex munds

Hon Mark Hanna arrived t McKinley headquarters at once the busy portion of the South Hanna said reports received indi friends of McKinley had not mated his popularity.

National Committee Mee

St. Louis, June 10.—The Re national committee met at no Chairman Thomaas P. Carter, tana, presiding, for the conside the 108 contests for seats in th tion. The meeting was execu the press and public was exclud members of the committee are of tion that the interest of the pa be promoted by a very careful c tion of all cases on their merits of personal presidential preferen prejudices of the contestants of t cal question. Their decision affect the temporary organiza they hope to do their work so the to leave no room for but little c the committee on credentials. T be something of a contest over tion of a temporary chairman. Kinley men have decided on C. banks, of Indiana, but many m the national committee are urg ued Fessenden, of Connecticut. satisfactory to the McKinley le If named by the national co might precipitate a contest in th tion. The majority of the deleg here seem inclined to believe a s the financial plank of the pla advisable. The point is mad straddle would not hold the sil and might result in putting a go crat in the field and the loss of N New Jersey and Connecticut.

Looking for the Cyclon

New York, June 10.—Hon. T left for St. Louis, today.

Schooner Sunk.

Vineyard Haven, Mass., Jun schooner from Baltimore for sank off Jobs Neck this morn boat came ashore in pieces an belonging to both men and wo picked up. It is feared all on lost.

Bondholders Buy the J., L. &

Jacksonville, Ill., June 10.— holders' purchasing committee b Jacksonville, Louisville & St. L road for a quarter of a million

London Baby Killer Han

London, June 10.—Mrs. An baby farmer, was hanged at prison this morning for the many infants entrusted to her c

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